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Arsenal in Teen Killer's Home

Suicidal notes, satanic drawings found in Centreville house

CHANTILLY, VA. | Fairfax County police removed guns, knives and suicidal notes from the home of a Centreville teenager who opened fire outside a police station Monday, court records show.

The weapons in the home Michael Kennedy shared with his parents included a loaded 12-gauge shotgun, five rifles and a .45-caliber handgun. The weapons were in various locations, including a hallway. Also found were knives hidden in cushions and ceiling tiles, a gas mask and various documents for mental health treatment.

In the 10-page court document, police also reported finding a "black notebook containing suicidal thoughts of Michael Kennedy" and a "notebook with satanic symbolism."

A lawyer for Kennedy's parents has been in touch with investigators, Police Chief David Rohrer said Wednesday, but Rohrer wanted to speak with them directly. "We want to talk about the weapons, talk about their son, what he was going through," he said.

Police have said Kennedy, 18, fired at least 70 rounds in the parking lot of the Sully District police station in Chantilly. He was carrying a modified AK-47-style assault weapon, a high powered hunting rifle and five handguns.

Kennedy

Detective Vicky O. Armel, 40, was killed. Another officer sitting in his car was critically hurt. The 53-year-old officer was improving, but remained in critical condition Wednesday, the chief trauma surgeon at Inova Fairfax Hospital said. (AP)

Palestinian Gas Pumps Running Dry

MUHAMMED MUHEISEN/AP

ON EMPTY: Gasoline nozzles go unused at a gas station closed due to lack of fuel in the West Bank town of Ramallah on Wednesday. The Israeli company that supplies the Palestinians with fuel cut off deliveries, citing growing Palestinian debts. ✤ **Basic needs:** Fears of a humanitarian crisis rise | **Page 9**

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Daniel Biechele weeps during his sentencing.

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SNAP, CRACKLE, POP | **Captain Crunch** A man eating a bowl of cereal while driving in Seminole, Fla., accidentally ran into the back of a deputy's cruiser Friday, WTSP-TV reported. Lance Kocses was eating a bowl of Frosted Flakes while driving his Toyota Tacoma when he became distracted and ran into the police vehicle, investigators said. Damage to both vehicles is estimated at around $5,000; Kocses has been charged with failing to yield the right of way. (EXPRESS) **EyeOpeners** | **Page 2**

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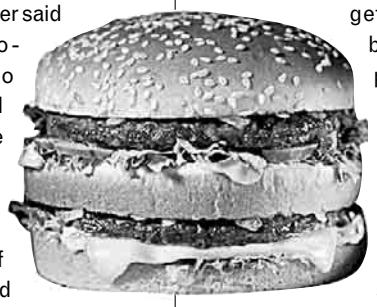
NUISANCES

Good, Now Go After the Pigeon-Feeders

Clermont, Iowa, isn't going to pussyfoot around when it comes to stray cats. The City Council has decided that anyone who feeds them are aiding a nuisance. Mayor Rodney Wagner said police could photograph people who feed stray cats and violators could be sent letters warning them of the consequences and be fined. Police chief Arthur Sullivan said people don't understand the problem. "People find those cats sweet, cuddly and lovable," he said. "It's one of those situations that you're not going to win no matter what you do." Nonetheless, Sullivan said something needs to be done. (AP)



GIPPER WORSHIP

New Law: Change Name to 'McRonald's'

Customers will get more than a burger and fries at the Northport, Ala., McDonald's where President Reagan once chomped down a Big Mac. They'll get to see a bronze bust of the former president, inside a case with a halogen light shining on it 24 hours a day. Along with a plaque, there's a framed photo showing Reagan biting down on his Big Mac. "We just felt like we wanted to put something back to carry on that remembrance," said Rick Hanna Sr., the new owner of the fast-food restaurant. The president stopped at the McDonald's on Oct. 15, 1984. (AP)

BRIAN BOHANNON/AP

PROMOTIONS

Hitting The Pinks

Major League Baseball players could be in the pink on Sunday. Louisville Slugger is making pink bats — such as these ones dipped into pink paint and hung in a dryer Tuesday in Louisville, Ky. — with a special brand for use on Mother's Day. It's part of MLB's "Go to Bat Against Breast Cancer" promotion. The bats will be sent to all major league teams for players to use and are part of multiple events by the league to promote breast cancer awareness. (AP)

DELIVERY

Um, Did Someone Here Order a Baby?

What started out as a possible child abandonment case in Omaha, Neb., on Wednesday turned out to be a misunderstanding, police said. Police received a call from a woman who said another woman she didn't know had driven up to her home, handed her a baby boy and a diaper bag and left. It turns out, the woman was the baby's grandmother and thought she was dropping the baby off at day care, but she had the wrong address, officers said. Police said the incident was a misunderstanding. (AP)

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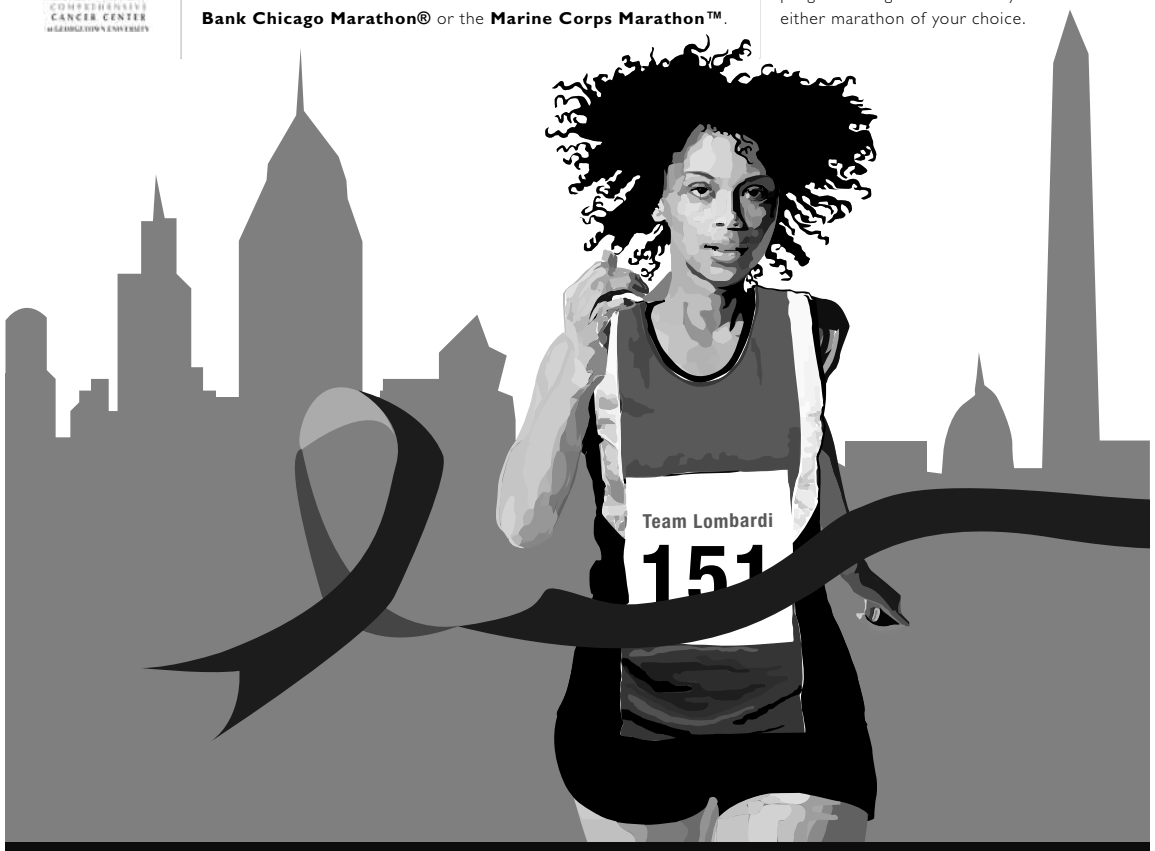

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20% | **The percentage jump** in citizenship applications by legal immigrants over the past year. Many worry that a crackdown on illegal immigrants could mean their legal status in the country would be jeopardized.

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LOS ANGELES

Lost Hikers Mistakenly Find Camp of Missing Man

Two lost hikers who survived three nights in rugged terrain were rescued after they scavenged supplies from the campsite of another hiker who vanished last year and is presumed dead. The pair found a backpack containing clothing and matches in the deserted campsite of John Donovan, almost a year to the day after he disappeared in the San Jacinto Mountains. Donovan's abandoned gear "gave us the means to get out," hiker Gina Allen said Wednesday. (AP)

CAMBRIDGE, MASS.

Many Medical Malpractice Suits Groundless, Study Says

About 40 percent of the medical malpractice cases filed in the United States are groundless, according to a Harvard analysis of the hotly debated issue that pits trial lawyers against doctors, with lawmakers in the middle. Many of the lawsuits analyzed contained no evidence that a medical error was committed or that the patient suffered any injury, the researchers reported. (AP)

On the Abramoff Trail

➜ Disgraced lobbyist Jack Abramoff visited the White House twice, in 2001 and 2004, say Secret Service logs made public on Wednesday. | **Today, A Section**

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A Third Bush in the White House?

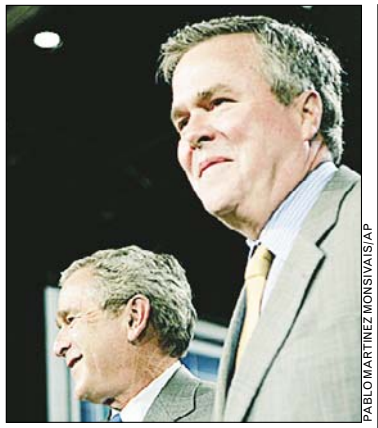
President, dad, say Jeb would make 'a great' commander-in-chief

ORLANDO, FLA. | Could there be a third President Bush? The current chief said Wednesday that younger brother Jeb would make a great one, too, and has asked him about making a run. The first President Bush likes the idea as well.

Jeb Bush, the Republican governor of Florida, has one asset that his presidential brother doesn't right now — approval from most of his constituents. While George W. Bush's approval ratings are in the low 30s, some 55 percent of Florida voters surveyed last month by Quinnipiac University said Jeb was doing a good job.

The governor has repeatedly said he won't be a candidate for president in 2008, but that doesn't stop his family from encouraging him.

"I would like to see Jeb run at some point in time, but I have no idea if that's his intention or not," the president said in an interview with Florida reporters, according the St. Petersburg Times Web site.



PABLO MARTINEZ MONSIVAIS/AP

President Bush and Gov. Jeb Bush give a talk in Sun City Center, Fla., Tuesday.

He said his brother would make "a great president" and that he had "pushed him fairly hard about what he intends to do."

"I truly don't think he knows," Bush said.

Jeb Bush, 53, will end his second term as governor in January. His brother George ends his second presidential term in January 2009. Neither can seek re-election because of term limits.

"I'm not running for president," the governor said Wednesday at a conference in Fort Lauderdale. NEDRA PICKLER (AP)

TEXAS | DEADLY TORNADOES HIT RURAL AREAS

MATT SLOCUM/AP

TAKING STOCK: Darren Hearnsberger searches through the remains of his brother's home that was damaged in a tornado on Wednesday in Westminster, Texas. Deadly twisters left three dead and 10 injured.

House Votes to Renew $70B Tax Cut Plan

Bill includes changes on alternative minimum tax, aimed at wealthy

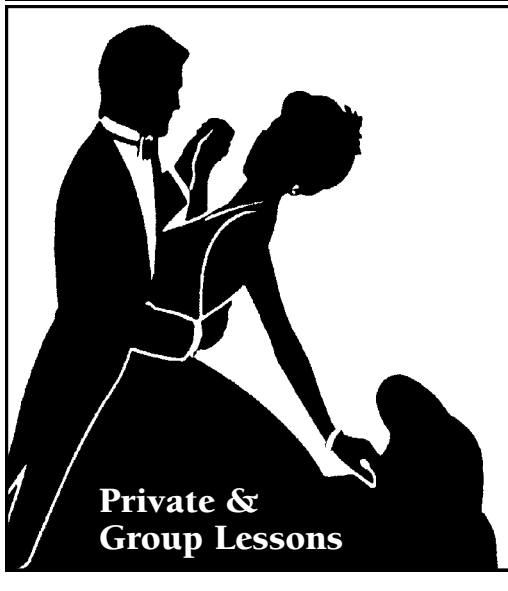
WASHINGTON | The House on Wednesday passed a bill sought by President Bush to deliver tax cuts worth $70 billion to investors and to keep 15 million taxpayers from the alternative minimum tax.

The House vote was 244-185. The Senate was expected to clear the bill for Bush's signature Thursday.

The bill provides a two-year extension of the reduced 15 percent tax rate for capital gains and dividends, currently set to expire at the end of 2008.

It also would extend, for this year, recent changes to the alternative minimum tax — originally aimed at making sure the wealthy pay at least some taxes — to prevent it from hitting more upper middle-income families.

The debate divided starkly along partisan lines, with Republicans crediting the cuts, enacted in 2003, with a surging economy, millions of new jobs and surging tax revenues. Democrats countered that the deficit-financed tax cuts are tilted in favor of wealthy investors and that the economic benefits are not as great as advertised. ANDREW TAYLOR (AP)



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WELL-SCHOOLED: Despite his 12 years in undergrad, Johnny Lechner withdrew his application for graduation next week so he can study abroad. The 29-year-old was expected to graduate from the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater with a liberal studies degree in education, communications, theater, health and women's studies.

Ex-Manager Gets 4 Years in R.I. Fire

Man sentenced for pyrotechnics accident that killed 100 at show

PROVIDENCE, R.I. | A former rock-band manager whose pyrotechnics caused a nightclub fire that killed 100 people was sentenced Wednesday to four years in prison — well short of the maximum — after two days of anguished testimony from victims' relatives about grandchildren they will never hold and graduations they will never see.

Daniel Biechele gazed downward and choked back tears as he apologized for the Feb. 20, 2003, blaze at The Station nightclub in West Warwick.

"I don't know that I'll ever forgive myself for what happened that night, so I can't expect anyone else to," he said, his lip quivering. "I never wanted anyone to be hurt in any way. I never imagined that anyone ever would be."

BARRY CHIN/GETTY IMAGES

Defendant Daniel M. Biechele reacts to the guilty verdict in court Wednesday.

Biechele, 29, could have gotten as much as 10 years behind bars under a deal he struck with prosecutors in February, when he pleaded guilty to 100 counts of involuntary manslaughter.

"The greatest sentence that can be imposed upon you has been imposed upon you by yourself," Superior Court Judge Francis Darigan Jr. told Biechele, drawing sobs and groans from some of those in the courtroom.

Biechele is the first person to be sentenced for the fire. The owners of the club are awaiting trial on manslaughter charges.

Biechele was the tour manager for the heavy metal band Great White when he lit a pyrotechnics display that ignited highly flammable foam that lined the walls and ceiling of the nightclub. The foam was used as soundproofing and was placed there by the owners after neighbors complained about noise.

Many of the people killed were quickly overcome by fumes emitted by the foam or became trapped in a crush at the front door.

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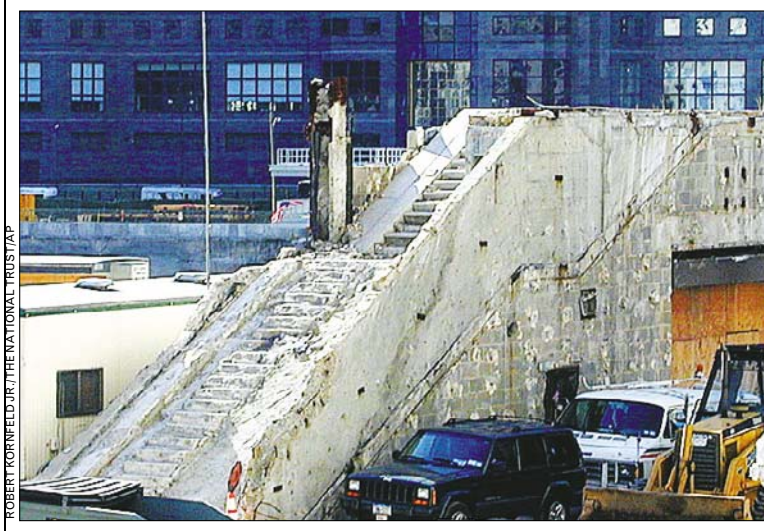

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MATTER OF SURVIVAL: The Vesey Street Staircase in New York City is the only surviving above-ground remnant of the original World Trade Center buildings.

WTC Stairs Make Endangered List

Twin towers' remnant not included in plans for memorial building

WASHINGTON | Anyplace else, the scarred concrete steps would be an eyesore. At ground zero on Sept. 11, 2001, they were a last chance for escape. Now they stand as the last surviving above-ground piece of the World Trade Center.

The "Survivors Staircase" was named one of the nation's most endangered historic places Wednesday, along with whole swaths of New Orleans and Mississippi damaged by Hurricane Katrina.

By singling out the staircase and sections of the South, the National Trust for Historic Preservation is seeking to preserve areas hit by the two biggest American disasters of recent memory. The Trust is a private nonprofit group founded in 1949.

In New York, the rumbling of construction around ground zero has weakened the staircase, and it is not included in plans for a new tower.

To Sept. 11 survivor Patty Clark, the Trade Center staircase is "symbolic of all of us who were witnesses to that day."

Clark and other employees of the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey used the staircase to escape Tower 2 after the terror attacks in New York.

She had already walked down 65 flights of stairs when she got to the World Trade Center plaza. Debris from Tower 1, which had just collapsed, filled the plaza, leaving the open-air staircase as the only way out. DEVLIN BARRETT (AP)

Booker Clinches Newark Mayor

NEWARK, N.J. | A 37-year-old former city councilman triumphed in his bid to be Newark's first new mayor in two decades, marking a shift in black leadership for a city trying to reverse decades of urban decay.

Cory Booker swamped his nearest challenger, state Sen. Ronald L. Rice, taking 72 percent of the vote compared with 24 percent for Rice. He takes office July 1.

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Booker said his priorities will include public safety, economic development, nurturing youth and restoring high ethical standards at City Hall. (AP)

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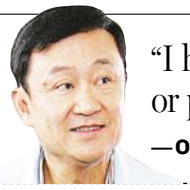

"I have too much energy. I may have to go to the gym more often or play more golf to burn off the extra energy."

—**Outgoing Thai PM Thaksin Shinawatra**, on speculation that he may make a bid for re-election

World

In Brief

JAKARTA, INDONESIA

Iranian Leader Calls West's Worries on Nukes a 'Big Lie'

Iran's president on Wednesday dismissed Western concerns over its nuclear program as "a big lie," a day after key U.N. Security Council members agreed to present Tehran with a choice of incentives or sanctions in deciding whether to suspend uranium enrichment. Meanwhile, in a letter to Time magazine published on its Web site, a representative of Supreme Leader Ayatollah Ali Khamenei offered new options for solving the impasse. (AP)

MAHMOUD TAWIL/AP

Some 250,000 demonstrators hit the streets for a peaceful protest in Beirut.

BEIRUT, LEBANON

Tens of Thousands Turn Out To Rally Against Taxes, PM

A quarter-million-strong wave of workers, students and activists — some backed by pro-Syrian groups — washed through the Lebanese capital Wednesday, peacefully protesting a proposed tax hike and calling for the anti-Syrian prime minister to resign. The huge crowd waved Lebanese and political party banners as they shouted for Prime Minister Fuad Saniora to step down. (AP)

VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA

Teen Boys Suspected Of Robbing At Least 7 Banks

Three boys barely into their teens are suspected of robbing seven banks over six weeks, handing the teller a note in each case and using the train to make their getaway. Police did not disclose how much money was taken and did not identify the boys. The two 14-year-olds and one 13-year-old were arrested last weekend after a holdup at a bank in their hometown of Surrey. (AP)

Palestinians Facing Fuel Shortages

Humanitarian woes worsen as key Israeli supplier cuts deliveries

MOHAMMED BALLAS/AP

DIRE STRAITS: A Palestinian farmer uses his last can of fuel to power a generator in the West Bank town of Jenin Wednesday.

NABLUS, WEST BANK | Palestinian gas stations started shutting down and motorists lined up at pumps after an Israeli fuel company cut off deliveries Wednesday, deepening the humanitarian crisis following Hamas' rise to power.

An end to fuel supplies for the West Bank and Gaza could cripple hospitals, halt food deliveries and keep people home from work — a devastating scenario for an economy already ravaged by Israeli and international sanctions.

The Israeli company Dor Energy, the sole fuel provider to the Palestinians since interim peace agreements in the mid-1990s, cited growing debts for its decision, Palestinian officials said.

Asaf Shariv, a spokesman for Prime Minister Ehud Olmert, said Israel would "absolutely not" bail out the Palestinians. Shariv said that since the Palestinian government resells gasoline to consumers, there is no reason for it not to have money to pay its debts.

But Palestinian officials said their cash-strapped government is one of the biggest users of gasoline and unable to pay the bill.

Mujahid Salame, head of the Palestinian petrol authority, predicted fuel supplies would run out in many areas by Thursday. "If this happens, there will be a humanitarian crisis," he said.

The fuel crunch is the latest sign of trouble for the Palestinian economy, hit hard by a cutoff in Western aid. Donors halted the money flow in response to Hamas' victory in legislative elections.

Fearing catastrophe, the Quartet of Mideast peace makers agreed Tuesday to restore some humanitarian aid to the Palestinians, as long as the money is not handled by Hamas. ALI DARAGHMEH (AP)

France Honors Colonial Slave Trade Victims

PARIS | France for the first time honored victims of the slave trade with a national day of concerts, school lessons, Louvre exhibits and ceremonies in a trading port that grew rich from New World slave plantations.

President Jacques Chirac, marking the first annual commemoration day Wednesday, urged France to confront the dark chapters of its history, 158 years after it abolished the practice of traders seizing Africans to toil in Caribbean colonies.

Patrick Lozes, president of a federation representing France's black community, said the government's effort fell short. The federation had hoped to plan cultural events on a larger, more festive scale, but the premier's office turned it down, he said. (AP)

Talabani Urges Unity Against Crime

President makes plea after 952 Iraqis die in violence last month

WATHIQ KHUZAIE/AFP/GETTY IMAGES

Members of Iraq's parliament vote on a resolution during a session on Wednesday.

BAGHDAD, IRAQ | President Jalal Talabani urged Iraq's feuding factions Wednesday to unite against surging crime and terrorism, saying Iraqis feel "shock, dismay and anger" at the ongoing slaughter.

The government reported 952 people — most of them civilians — died nationwide last month in "terrorist" violence, including attacks by sectarian death squads that torture and kill their victims before dumping the mutilated bodies in the streets.

"What is asked of the political parties is that they strenuously and clearly condemn these crimes, regardless of who the perpetrators are," Talabani said in a statement.

Difficult negotiations have been under way for months to organize the new government, and incoming Prime Minister Nouri al-Maliki had said he expected to complete the final stage — the appointment of his Cabinet — this week.

Al-Maliki's spokesman, Salah Abdul-Razaq, said the Shiite leader was hopeful the task could be completed by Sunday. However, Abdul-Razaq told The Associated Press that some factions were objecting to the formula for distributing Cabinet posts, raising the possibility of further delays. TAREK EL-TABLAWY (AP)

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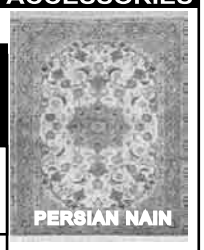

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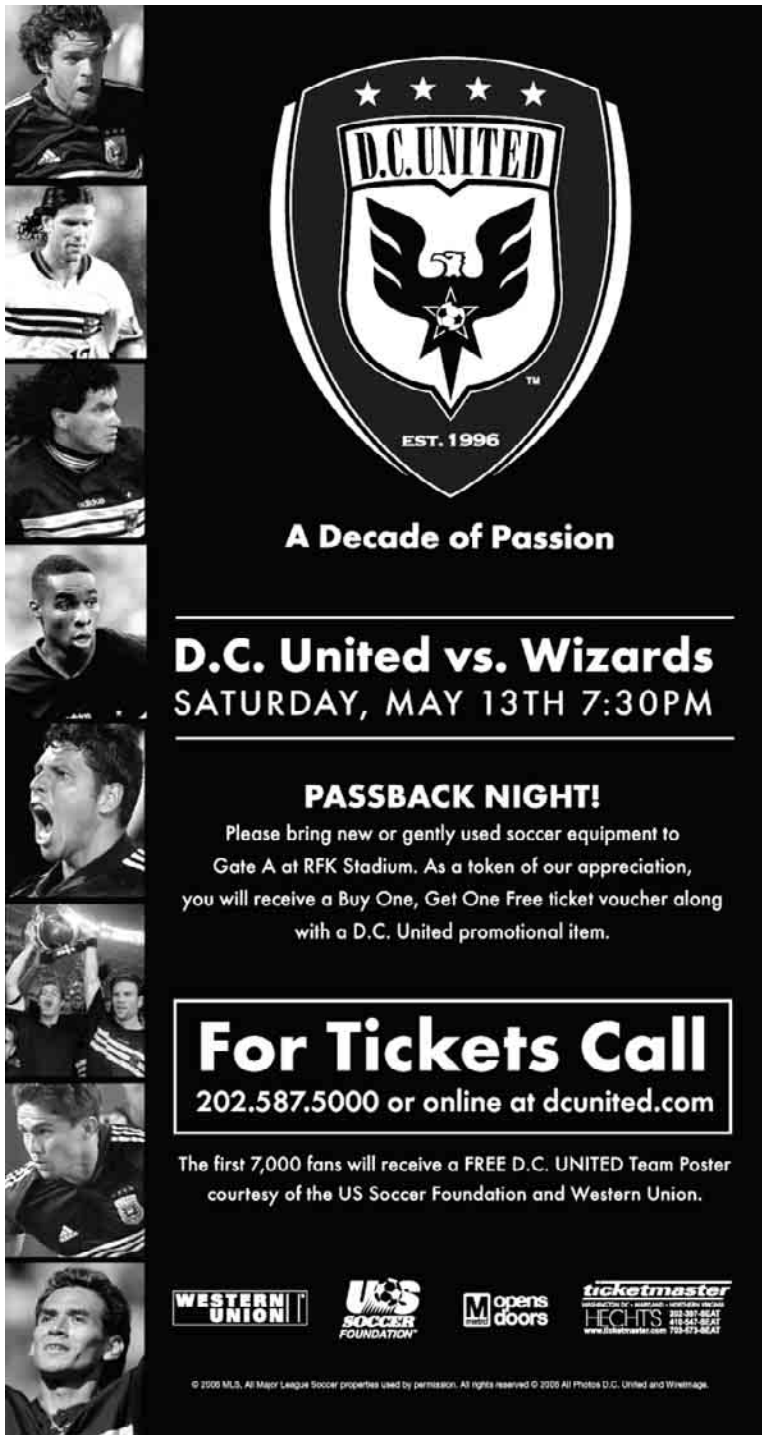

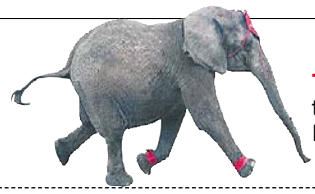

TRUNK SHOW: Motorists approaching the Swedish capital late Tuesday were met with the unlikely sight of three elephants grazing by the highway, local radio reported. The beasts had escaped after their circus van ran off the road and were later hauled to safety.

Putin Swipes Back at U.S. Criticism

Russian leader also calls for birth bonuses to halt population slide

MOSCOW | President Vladimir Putin took a swipe at the United States in his state of the nation address Wednesday, bristling at being lectured by Vice President Dick Cheney and comparing Washington to a wolf who "eats without listening."

During an emotional moment in the nationally televised speech, Putin used the fairy-tale motif on the need to build a fortress-like house and to illustrate Russia's need to bolster its defenses. He also suggested that Washington puts its political interests above the democratic ideals it claims to cherish.

"Where is all this pathos about protecting human rights and democracy when it comes to the need to pursue their own interests? Here, it seems, everything is allowed, there are no restrictions whatsoever," Putin said, smiling sarcastically in the address to both houses of parliament.

"We are aware what is going on in the world," he said. "Comrade wolf knows whom to eat, he eats without listening, and he's clearly not going to listen to anyone."

Putin's speech came nearly a week after Cheney on May 4 took a verbal slap at the Russian leader, saying the government sought "to reverse the gains of the last decade."

DMITRY ASTAKHOV/AFP/GETTY IMAGES

In a speech Wednesday, Russian President Vladimir Putin compared the U.S. to a "wolf" who "eats without listening ... he's clearly not going to listen to anyone."

Putin pointed out that Russia's military budget is 25 times lower than that of the U.S. Like the U.S., he said, "we also must make our house strong and reliable."

Turning to health care issues, Putin called the demographic slide that has shrunk Russia's population by millions since the 1991 Soviet collapse "the most acute problem of contemporary Russia," and he encouraged legislators to budget for more generous birth bonuses, childcare support subsidies and educational benefits for mothers to encourage women to have children.

Russia's population dropped by about 4 percent to 142.7 million between 1993 and 2006, according to the Health Ministry.

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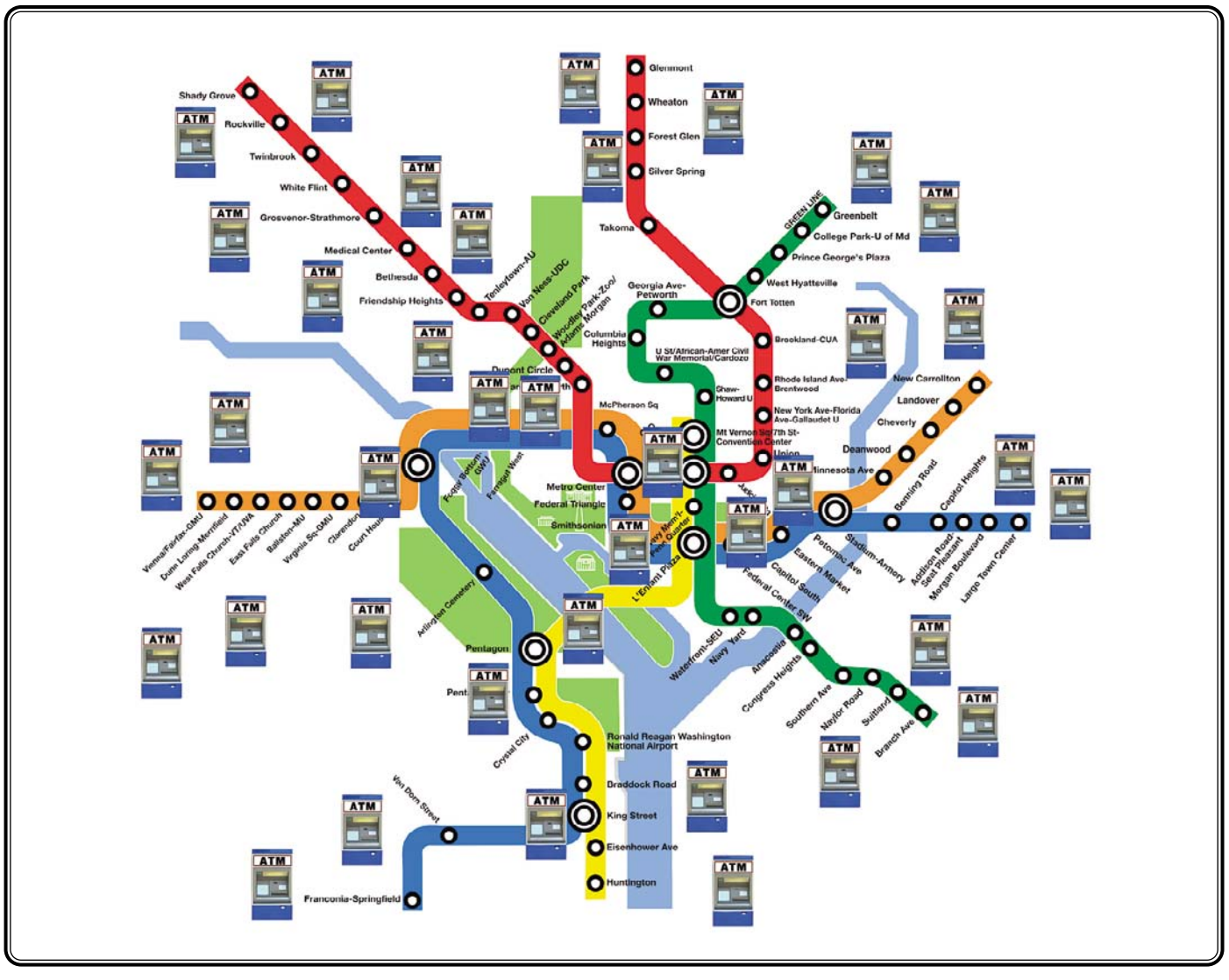

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47% | **The percentage of Ukrainians** who want the former Orange Revolution allies to reunite and form the governing coalition in the new parliament, a poll finds. Talks to form a new government have dragged on since a March 26 election.

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Bolivian soldiers guard refinery near Santa Cruz de la Sierra Wednesday. President Evo Morales recently put the country's natural gas industry under state control.

Bolivian Gas Plan Divides Latin Left

Nationalization woes put hopes for stronger trade on back burner

SAO PAULO, BRAZIL | It wasn't long ago that South America's leftist leaders were sharing bear-hugs and talking about forming something like the European Union, with a pipeline network to solve energy problems, a unified parliament, and a currency good from Colombia's Caribbean beaches to Argentina's frosty southern coast.

Bolivian President Evo Morales changed all that: He abruptly took over his country's 53 foreign-owned natural gas installations and installed military police to guard the gas reserves.

The nationalization evokes comparisons to decades past when Latin American regimes ruled with brute military force. It also has created a serious rift between the region's center-left governments and the hard-left administrations of Morales and his mentor, the socialist Venezuelan President Hugo Chavez.

"South America is back to its unstable ways, big time," said Gary Hufbauer, a senior fellow at the Institute for International Economics in Washington, D.C.

The takeover threatens to cause energy shortages and price hikes that could seriously damage the economies of Bolivia's biggest customers, Argentina and Brazil.

As Latin American leaders prepare to fly to Vienna for an annual summit Friday with their European counterparts, the energy crisis looms largest amid regional divisions unseen in South America since the 1980s era of lingering dictatorships and budding democracies.

The Andean community and Mercosur economic blocs appear to be falling apart as Colombia and Peru clinch free trade deals with the United States, and Paraguay and Uruguay consider similar alliances. Bolivia and Venezuela lashed back by joining with communist Cuba in a trade pact promising a socialist version of regional cooperation.

"Call it regional disintegration," said David Fleischer, a political scientist at the University of Brasilia. "It all converged in the months of April and May, and we don't know how it's going to play out." (AP)

TUSK BUST: Hong Kong customs officials have seized 4.29 tons of elephant tusks smuggled in a shipping container from Cameroon, the government said Wednesday. The tusks, worth about $1.03 million were the largest such seizure "in recent years," Hong Kong Customs said in a statement. The tusks were found in a container said to be shipping timber. (AP)

96 Die From Somali Militia Fighting

MOGADISHU, SOMALIA | Clan elders, businessmen, and moderate religious leaders shuttled between secular warlords and Islamic extremists in Somalia's capital Wednesday, trying to broker a cease-fire as the death toll from four days of fighting reached 96.

The fighting has escalated steadily since Sunday, when the Islamic militants, who have alleged ties to al Qaeda, and the warlords took up strategic positions in Mogadishu.

AFP/GETTY IMAGES

Many streets in Mogadishu were nearly deserted due to the fighting Tuesday.

Most victims in the recent fighting have been civilians caught in the crossfire. Nearly 200 people have been wounded in the fighting, doctors say.

Heavy weapons fire echoed through the city Wednesday as the fighting spread to another Mogadishu neighborhood. Abdulahi Shir'wa, a civic leader, said neutral groups were meeting with the leaders of the two militias Wednesday to try to negotiate another cease-fire, but so far without success. (AP)

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Money

Fed Lifts Key Interest Rate

Officials boost federal funds rate to highest level in five years

WASHINGTON | The Federal Reserve boosted Americans' borrowing costs for the 16th time in a row on Wednesday — this time to the highest level in five years — but suggested what happens next will be much less predictable.

Chairman Ben Bernanke and his Fed colleagues left their options wide open to order yet another increase or to take a break in their two-year rate-raising campaign.

Decisions on interest rates will hinge more heavily on what upcoming barometers say about economic activity and inflation, the Fed policymakers indicated.

If surging energy prices should spark broader inflation, the Fed could opt to bump up rates again. If the economy should show signs of slowing more than anticipated, a pause in rate raising could be in store.

To keep the economy and inflation on an even keel, the Fed unanimously decided on Wednesday to increase its federal funds rate by one-quarter percentage point to 5 percent. It marked the 16th increase of that size since the Fed began to tighten credit in June 2004.

The funds rate, the interest that banks charge each other on overnight loans, affects a variety of other interest rates charged to consumers and businesses and thus is the Fed's primary tool for influencing economic activity.

If the economy doesn't slow to a more sustainable pace — as the Federal Reserve expects — and high energy prices start feeding into the prices of lots of other goods and service, then the Fed could opt to boost rates again. (AP)

Whirlpool to Eliminate 4,500 Jobs

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH. | Whirlpool Corp. said Wednesday it will eliminate 4,500 jobs by closing three plants and consolidating corporate offices and other sites following its purchase of rival appliance maker Maytag Corp.

The moves come less than six weeks after Whirlpool completed its acquisition of Maytag, extending its lead as the nation's biggest appliance maker with brands that include Whirlpool, Maytag, KitchenAid, Jenn-Air and Amana.

CHARLIE NEIBERGALL/AP

Maytag worker Vicki Duchene listens to news of the closure in Newton, Iowa.

But Whirlpool said it will add about 1,500 jobs, many at two Ohio plants, reducing the net loss of jobs to 3,000 positions, or 3.8 percent of its work force.

The Benton Harbor-based appliance maker plans to close plants in Newton, Iowa; Herrin, Ill.; and Searcy, Ark. Also slated to close are Maytag's corporate headquarters and research center in Newton, Iowa, as well as administrative offices in Schaumburg, Ill., Canada and Mexico. JAMES PRICHARD (AP)

Market Action

New York Stock Exchange

Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
BBarrett	36.60	+5.74	+18.6
MaidenB n	12.70	+1.29	+11.3
Navistar If	27.99	+2.68	+10.6
RTI IntlM	77.65	+7.23	+10.3
Ralcorp	42.00	+3.67	+9.6

Losers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
Schawk	18.65	-6.52	-25.9
MillerInds	25.00	-4.87	-16.3
ChRvLab	39.64	-7.26	-15.5
NewMarket	56.57	-5.45	-8.8
IHS Inc n	25.52	-2.21	-8.0

NASDAQ Stock Market

Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
Vivus	4.30	+1.02	+31.1
NovaMs	2.40	+.56	+30.4
IRIS Int	13.43	+2.49	+22.8
SORL n	9.70	+1.80	+22.8
NaviSite	5.45	+.00	+22.3

Losers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
EscalaGp	6.55	-5.68	-46.4
AVI Bio	4.90	-2.36	-32.5
MultiFnElc	42.15	-17.32	-29.1
AsystTch	7.69	-2.89	-27.3
SFBC Intl	17.32	-6.43	-27.1

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	CURRENT	PREVIOUS WEEK
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3-month disc	4.75	4.71
2-year	4.99	4.94
10-year	5.13	5.15
30-year	5.20	5.24

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Wachovia	55.08	+.47	+4.2
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WellsFrgo	67.95	-.35	+8.1

JAIL AGGRESSION: Maryland's juvenile detention centers are crowded, understaffed and violence-prone, says a report by Katherine A. Perez, juvenile justice monitoring unit director. Officials said they are addressing the report's concerns.

Local

Officer Reiterates Sighting

Policeman again puts Muhammad close to sniper shooting scene

ROCKVILLE, MD. | Two police officers who came upon convicted sniper John Allen Muhammad in the midst of his 2002 killing spree confronted him again Wednesday in court.

Steven Bailey, a police officer in Prince William County, Va., refused to back down as he was aggressively questioned by Muhammad, who is acting as his own lawyer.

Bailey said he was certain that he saw Muhammad and his dark blue Chevrolet Caprice leaving a restaurant parking lot near a shooting scene in Manassas, Va., on Oct. 9. 2002. Bailey allowed Muhammad to leave without taking down his name or license plate as irate and scared customers demanded to be let out from the parking lot.

"I have no doubt in my mind," Bailey testified about seeing Muhammad in the parking lot.

Outside court, Bailey said Muhammad's efforts to poke holes in prosecutors' case are desperate.

"He's fishing. He doesn't have a clue. He's stuck," Bailey said.

A Baltimore officer, James Snyder, also testified that he saw Muhammad sleeping in his car in a gas station parking lot in the early morning hours of Oct. 8, 2002. MATTHEW BARAKAT (AP)

Priest Placed on Leave On Sex Abuse Charges

Two women allege abuse at Annandale church from 1975-80

ANNANDALE, VA. | A priest has been placed on leave following allegations he engaged in inappropriate sexual conduct with two girls more than 25 years ago, church officials said Wednesday.

The Diocese of Arlington was investigating claims against the Rev. Tran Dinh Nhi of St. Ambrose Church in Annandale stemming from 1975 to 1980, when the girls were between the ages of 13 and 17.

One allegation was made by a woman after she attended a program sponsored by the diocese on recognizing and reporting child abuse. The diocese learned the name of a possible second victim, who was immediately contacted.

After a preliminary review of the allegations Monday, the diocese's Review Board advised Bishop Paul S. Loverde the allegations appeared to be credible. The diocese is cooperating with authorities and continues to look for any additional victims, spokesman Soren Johnson said. (AP)

Mayor: Give City Part of Campus

WASHINGTON | Mayor Williams and other city officials are unhappy with the federal government's plan to keep almost all the land in the Walter Reed campus after the Army hospital closes in 2011.

The Army has announced plans to turn over most of the property to the State Department and General Services Administration. Willams said at least some of the land should be given to the city to be redeveloped. He wants to build a a mixed-use development that would create new revenue for the District.

Council Chair Linda Cropp said the two departments don't have definite plans for the property. (AP)

IN The Washington Post | PIT BULL ATTACK

RICKY CARIOTI/TWP

DOG TURNS DEADLY: The scene of where, police said, an elderly man was mauled and killed by his daughter's pit bull is taped off Wednesday in St. Leonard, Md. Officials said the woman had five pit bulls.| **Inside Metro**

Police, School Funding Up in Approved Budget

D.C. would have more money to hire officers and improve schools

WASHINGTON | District of Columbia police would have money to hire 100 additional officers, and public schools would see a boost in funding under a $5.06 billion budget approved by city lawmakers.

An increase in a city real estate tax to pay for the additional police officers drew vigorous debate Tuesday among D.C. Council members, as did a decision to limit spending for the Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities Administration. But the council ultimately voted unanimously to approve the spending plan.

Police chief Charles H. Ramsey welcomed the decision and said he would use the extra officers to increase patrols and the number of detectives.

"I'm thankful for that," Ramsey said. "It's a good move on the part of the council."

Eight of the 13 council members are campaigning for either re-election or higher office this year. (AP)

HEARSAY | LANGUAGE

"It's the position of one side. I would have no problem if both sides were being presented."

—**CLAIRE GUTHRIE GASTANAGA**, GAY-RIGHTS LOBBYIST, ON THE TEXT OF A GAY-MARRIAGE BAN EXPLANATION FOR VOTERS THAT WAS PASSED IN THE VIRGINIA HOUSE WEDNESDAY

In Brief

FREDERICK, MD.

Students at High School for The Deaf Protest Fernandes

Some high-school students at the Maryland School for the Deaf are also protesting against the new president of Gallaudet University, the nation's only liberal-arts college for the deaf. Three student government leaders held a forum Wednesday to share with others their impressions after visiting protesters' tent city at Gallaudet in Washington. About 75 students attended the forum. Two of the student leaders wore "Unity for Gallaudet" T-shirts and all three said they object to the May 1 selection of Gallaudet Provost Jane K. Fernandes.

ANNAPOLIS, MD.

GOP Fund-Raiser to Resign As a U. of Maryland Regent

The state Republican Party's most prolific fundraiser has submitted his resignation as a University of Maryland regent because of a law that prohibits regents from raising money for political campaigns. Richard E. Hug said Wednesday that his resignation, effective May 31, was prompted by "the silly legislation that passed ... making it unlawful for people on the Board of Regents to be active in political fundraising." "As the governor's finance chairman, I made a commitment to him," Hug said. (AP)

RICHMOND, VA.

Bill Closing the Books on the Fiscal Year Passes in House

A bill that closes the books on the fiscal year that ends next month won belated passage Wednesday from the House. But the critical budget that, if not enacted soon, would interrupt state government funding and spawn a constitutional crisis beginning July 1 found only more heated rhetoric. House Republicans accused Gov. Kaine of shrinking from the budget crisis as time grows short. (AP)

The Lotteries

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Evening Pick 3 (Tues.)	8-4-3
Mid-day Pick 4 (Wed.)	4-1-7-5
Evening Pick 4 (Tues.)	0-5-4-0
Mid-day Cash 5 (Wed.)	1-5-13-16-30
Evening Cash 5 (Tues.)	7-18-19-29-33

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NO GOAL: Nebraska football coach-turned-congressman Tom Osborne tried and failed to take down Gov. Dave Heineman on Tuesday in the Republican primary for governor of this football-crazy state. Osborne received 44 percent to lose by six.

Sports

In Brief

TENNIS

Top Seeds Nadal, Federer Victorious in Clay Tourney

Roger Federer and Rafael Nadal, the top two seeds in the tournament, both advanced with straight-set victories over Italians in the second round of the Rome Masters on Wednesday. Federer was tested by wild card Potito Starace before closing it 6-3, 7-6 (2), and defending champion Nadal eased past Filippo Volandri 6-1, 6-2, for his 49th straight win on clay. (AP)

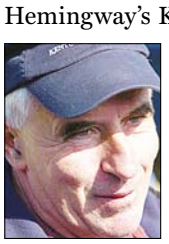
ANDREW MEDICHINI/AP

Nadal has won 49 straight matches on clay courts after Wednesday's victory.

HORSE RACING

Zito Headed to Preakness

Trainer Nick Zito missed the Kentucky Derby; he won't miss the Preakness. The Hall of Famer said Wednesday he plans to run Hemingway's Key against Derby winner Barbaro in the second leg of the Triple Crown on May 20. Hemingway's Key finished eighth in the Lexington Stakes at Keeneland on April 12, and didn't have enough graded stakes earnings to qualify for a full 20-horse Derby field. (AP)



Zito

BASEBALL

Twins Edge Rangers, 4-3

Vicente Padilla forced in the go-ahead run in the seventh inning when he walked two batters and hit two others, helping the Minnesota Twins to a 4-3 victory over the Texas Rangers on Wednesday. (AP)

Later: The Nats-Reds and O's-Tigers games ended after Express' deadline. Results | **Today's Post, Sports**

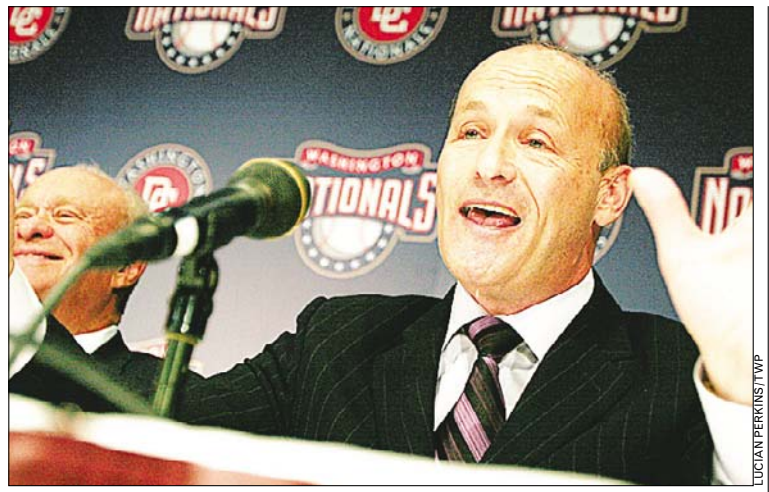
Kasten Brings Braves' Model to D.C.

New team president plans restoration of minor-league system

NATS NOTEBOOK | Nearly two decades ago, a couple of kids named Tom Glavine had John Smoltz were struggling through their first big-league starts. A few years later, a kid named Chipper Jones cut his teeth at third base while hitting his first homers out of a stadium nicknamed "The Launching Pad."

Fourteen consecutive National League East titles and a World Series ring later, Atlanta's plan of rebuilding with prospects is a success. Now, one of its architects will try to repeat that success in Washington.

Stan Kasten, the Nationals' president-in-waiting, built the Braves up from the bottom with expansive scouting operations and a focus on the minor leagues. He's described in recent interviews how he'd like to implement a similar long-term plan in Washington.



LUCIAN PERKINS/TWP

Stan Kasten, the Nationals new team president, is using the same philosophy of building through young players that has worked so well for the Atlanta Braves.

"Stan and I ... both understand the importance of developing and scouting," Nationals general manager Jim Bowden said. "That's what they did in Atlanta."

However, the Nationals' new philosophy may take longer to develop than fans would like. Baseball America ranked Washington's farm talent 26th out of 30 MLB teams entering 2006, while minorleaguenews.com rates the Nats' overall farm system as the worst in baseball.

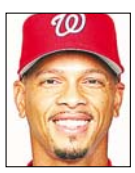
BACK IN THE SWING: Before Sunday's game, manager Frank Robinson lamented the fact that Jose Guillen just didn't seem to be taking good swings at the plate. A couple of hours later, the struggling right fielder crushed a home run into the upper deck at RFK, the same spacious ballpark where he hit only three of his 24 home runs in 2005.

"It's good for him to understand and know that when you catch them like that, there's no ballpark in America that's going to hold that," shortstop Royce Clayton said.

Guillen followed Sunday's blast with two more home runs on Tuesday in Cincinnati.

ASSESSING ASTACIO: Right-handed starter Pedro Astacio (right flexor strain) has resumed playing catch and is progressing well, according to trainer Tim Abraham. He'll be re-evaluated Friday to see how soon he can begin a rehab stint in the minors.

ERIC BRANDNER AND DEREK TURNER



"Off the Field

NATS SHORTSTOP ROYCE CLAYTON

Q & A | If it seems like Royce Clayton has been around forever, that's because it's pretty close to true. The Nationals shortstop broke into the big leagues in 1991, long before the idea of a ballclub returning to Washington became a serious possibility. Along the way, he's collected more than his share of hats, having played with the Giants, Cardinals, Rangers White Sox, Brewers, Rockies and Diamondbacks before joining the Nationals in the offseason. Also, this offseason, Clayton's wife gave birth to triplets.

In 15 years in the majors, what's been the highest point in your career? And what's been the lowest point?

The highest point in my career was going to Game 7 of the NLCS [with St. Louis in 1996] and the lowest point was losing that game. Everybody wants to play in the World Series and win the World Series. That's the closest I've come and that's the most pain I've felt in this game was losing that game. I can't wait to get back to feel that other side of it.

LAWRENCE JACKSON/AP

Shortstop Royce Clayton tags out the Braves' Wilson Betemit in a game on April 23.

What's your favorite baseball town?

I think Chicago is a neat town. I played in St. Louis so I'd have to say St. Louis is my favorite baseball town. But just being here, I'd have to say the diversity and the culture in Washington, once you get that new ballpark up and going, you're going to see a lot of good baseball people, a lot of good things happening here that will build a fabric for something very special here in D.C. I think people like coming here.

> "Once you get that new ballpark up and going, you're going to see ... something special in D.C."

What are your favorite things to do in D.C.?

Well, I have triplets and I have four kids. My oldest is 2 and he loves the zoo. And we're right next door to the zoo on Connecticut. Just being able to walk that area has been great for me. My wife can walk down to the market and get a fresh loaf of bread, go to the various shops, restaurants, go to the zoo. It's just been great for us as a family to be here.

How tough is it raising triplets?

It's work, but we enjoy it. We feel blessed to have four healthy kids — two girls, two boys. We'll walk down the street and people way, "Whoa, I feel sorry for you." Don't feel sorry for us. We feel extremely blessed to have these beautiful babies. It's a lot of sleep deprivation, but I wouldn't miss it for the world. DEREK TURNER

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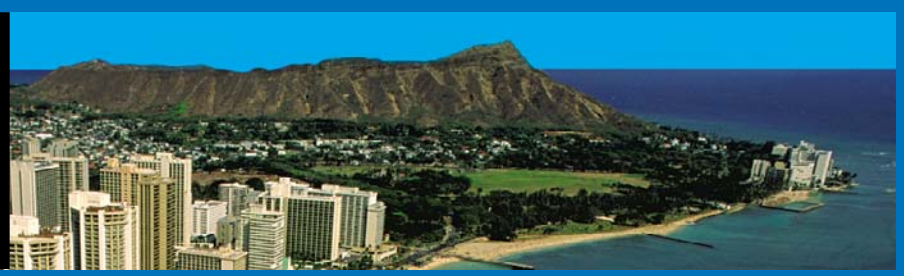

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5 | **The number of home runs** the Washington Nationals hit against Cincinnati in a 7-1 victory Tuesday night. The win included the most homers for the team since it moved from Montreal to Washington.

Sports

A Change for the Better

Mavs alter lineup and even series against the NBA champion Spurs

NBA PLAYOFFS | By shaking up his lineup, Dallas Mavericks coach Avery Johnson took the risk of being accused of panicking.

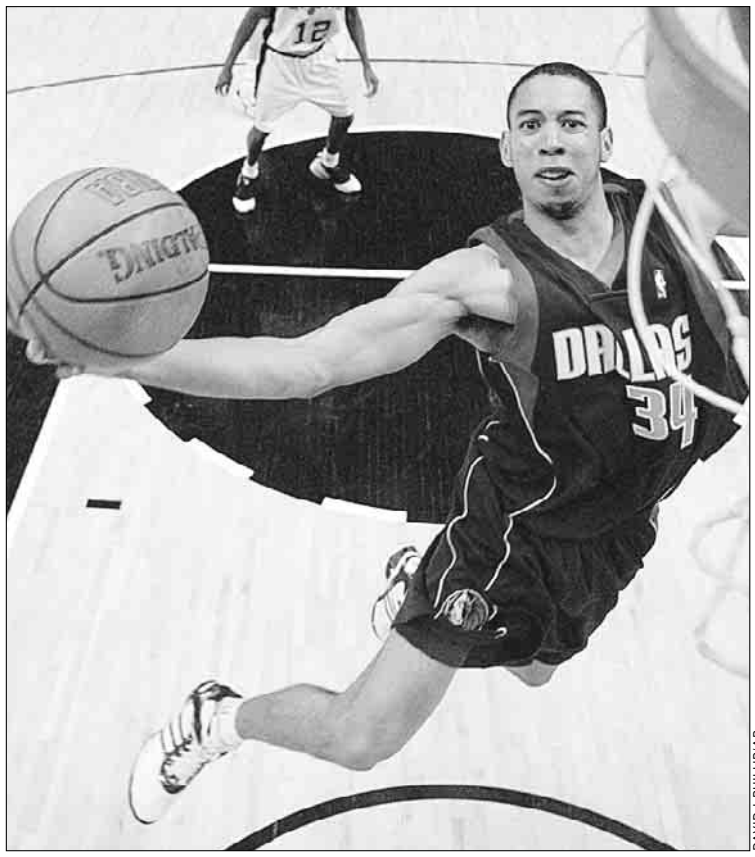
Instead, he's got the San Antonio Spurs wondering how they're going to keep up with new starting point guard Devin Harris.

Harris' speed and a take-it-to-the-rim attitude revived an offense that looked sleepy in the opener, helping the Mavericks go ahead by 21 points before halftime on their way to a 113-91 victory Tuesday night that tied this second-round series at one game apiece.

Harris scored 20 points, two shy of the career high he set against San Antonio in November. Although he had only three assists, his energy and aggressiveness set the tone Johnson wanted after Dallas scored only 85 points in Game 1.

By starting Harris, Johnson moved Jason Terry to shooting guard and put defense-minded Adrian Griffin on the bench.

It was the kind of move Johnson's predecessor Don Nelson would've made long ago. For Johnson, it was a bit surprising considering how much he values defense.



DAVID J. PHILLIP/AP

Devin Harris scored 20 points Tuesday when he was made a surprise starter.

But it's hard to question the NBA's Coach of the Year. His last big risk was benching starting center Erick Dampier in place of backup DeSagana Diop. All that did was start a 13-game winning streak.

It's too early to say where this one will lead — and Johnson doesn't want anyone getting carried away.

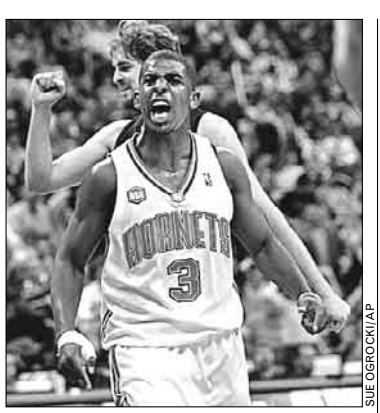
"We're not 20 points better than the Spurs," Johnson said. "They're the champions, they're still the champions." JAIME ARON (AP)

Paul: A Near-Unanimous Choice

Hornets point guard gets 124 of 125 votes for Rookie of the Year

NBA | At least one person thinks there was an NBA rookie who had a better season than Chris Paul. And that only gives the New Orleans point guard a little extra incentive.

Paul was a runaway choice for the NBA's Rookie of the Year award Wednesday, receiving all but one of the 125 first-place votes from a panel of media members from across the United States and Canada. Utah guard Deron Williams — who was taken with the No. 3 pick in last year's draft, one spot ahead of Paul — received the only other first-place vote.



SUE OGROCKI/AP

Chris Paul helped the Hornets double their win total after Hurricane Katrina.

"That's even more motivation right there," Paul said. "It's an honor to get 124 out of 125, but that one, that's just motivation for next year."

By helping the Hornets double their win total in a season where they were forced out of their home city because of Hurricane Katrina, Paul earned the rookie honor by the largest margin since San Antonio's David Robinson was a unanimous choice in 1990.

Paul led all rookies in points (16.1), assists (7.8), steals (2.2), double-doubles (21), minutes played (36.4) and triple-doubles (2). He also became the second NBA rookie to lead the league in steals, joining Brevin Knight. JEFF LATZKE (AP)

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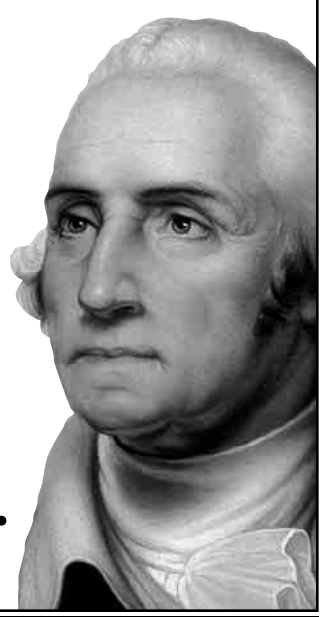

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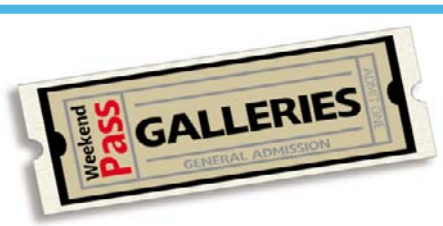

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Sports

Casserly Resigns As GM of Texans

Former Redskins exec to pursue job working with NFL head office

NFL | Houston Texans general manager Charley Casserly resigned Wednesday, ending months of speculation that intensified in recent weeks after the team used the No. 1 pick to draft defensive end Mario Williams.

Casserly had been with the Texans, who went 2-14 last season, since the expansion franchise joined the league six years ago. The Texans played their first season in 2002.

"The time was right to move on," Casserly said.

Casserly met with Texans owner Bob McNair on Wednesday morning, telling McNair he wanted to pursue a job in the NFL office in New York. He also met with the Texans' coaching staff and contacted Houston's scouts.

McNair said Casserly was not fired. He said he had no replacement candidates in mind.

"I have talked to no one. I have no list," McNair said.

Casserly joined the Texans in 2000, after 23 years with the Washington Redskins. He started with the Redskins as an unpaid intern under Hall of Fame coach George Allen and was hired as a scout the next season.

Casserly

The Redskins elevated Casserly to assistant general manager in 1982, the year the franchise won its first Super Bowl. Casserly became Washington's GM in 1989. (AP)

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ON TOP OF THINGS: UEFA President Lennart Johanssen, right, gives the trophy to Sevilla's team captian Javi Navarro, left, after Sevilla beat Middlesbrough 4-0 on Wednesday to win its first European championship.

Sports

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St. Louis' Albert Pujols leads the majors in home runs (18) and RBIs (43) this season.

Pujols Blasts 18th Homer of Season

Slugger's latest shot lifts Cardinals to 7-4 win over the Rockies

BASEBALL | Albert Pujols hit his major league-leading 18th homer and Jeff Suppan won his fourth straight start, leading the St. Louis Cardinals over the Colorado Rockies 7-4 Wednesday.

Juan Encarnacion also homered for the Cardinals, who took two of three from the NL West leaders and have won five of six overall.

Pujols, who hit a tiebreaking three-run homer on Tuesday, followed John Rodriguez's first-inning single with a drive to left off Byung-Hyun Kim (1-1). Pujols also leads the majors with 43 RBIs and the NL with 35 runs scored.

Suppan (4-2) struck out seven and walked none, allowing three runs and six hits in five innings. After going 0-2 in his first three starts, he has lowered his ERA from 9.00 to 4.58.

Jason Isringhausen got three straight outs for his 10th save in 12 chances.

Kim gave up seven runs and 10 hits in 4 2/3 innings, the shortest of his three starts this season. (AP)

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Toronto	17	15	.531	3	11-8	6-7
Baltimore	15	19	.441	6	10-9	5-10
Tampa Bay	13	21	.382	8	6-8	7-13

CENTRAL	W	L	PCT.	GB	HOME	ROAD
Chicago	23	9	.719	—	14-4	9-5
Detroit	20	13	.606	3.5	8-6	12-7
Cleveland	17	17	.500	7	8-6	9-11
Minnesota	14	19	.424	9.5	10-6	4-13
Kansas City	9	22	.290	13.5	7-8	2-14

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Oakland	17	15	.531	—	7-10	10-5
Texas	18	16	.529	—	9-11	9-5
Seattle	15	20	.424	3.5	9-12	6-8
L.A. Angels	14	20	.412	4	6-8	8-12

NATIONAL LEAGUE

EAST	W	L	PCT.	GB	HOME	ROAD
N.Y. Mets	21	11	.656	—	12-6	9-5
Philadelphia	18	14	.563	3	11-10	7-4
Atlanta	14	18	.438	7	6-5	8-13
Washington	12	21	.364	9.5	3-10	9-11
Florida	8	22	.267	12	2-13	6-9

CENTRAL	W	L	PCT.	GB	HOME	ROAD
Cincinnati	21	12	.636	—	10-5	11-7
St. Louis	21	13	.618	.5	13-5	8-8
Houston	19	14	.576	2	14-4	5-10
Milwaukee	17	16	.515	4	11-6	6-10
Chicago	14	18	.438	6.5	8-6	6-12
Pittsburgh	10	24	.294	11.5	7-7	3-17

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Colorado	20	14	.588	—	9-8	11-6
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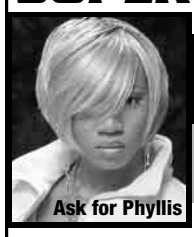
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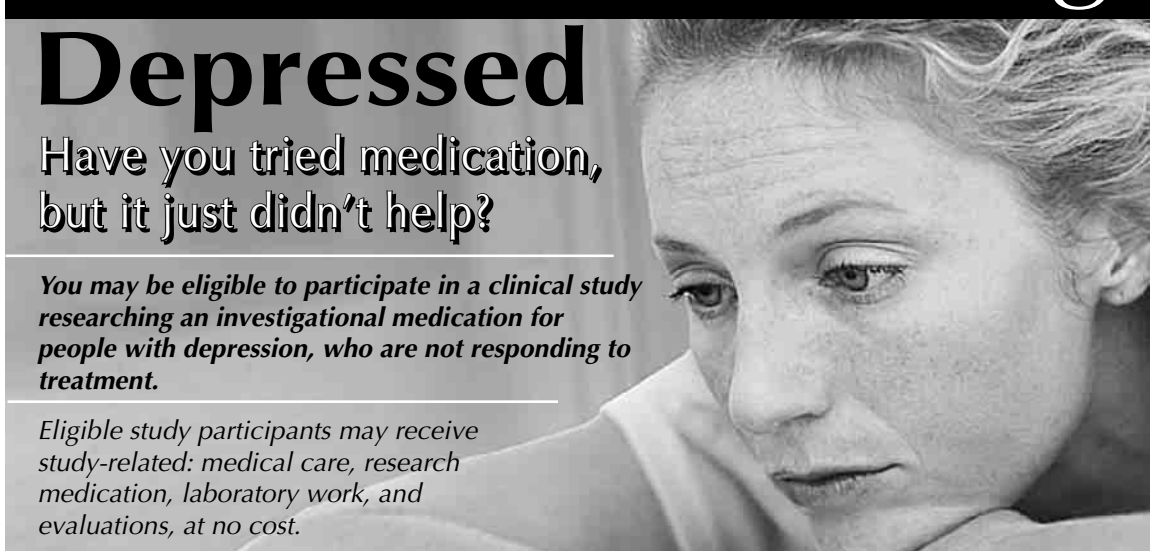
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Sports

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Anaheim Mighty Ducks center Todd Marchant, left, right winger Joffrey Lupul, center, and right winger Dustin Penner celebrate after one of Lupul's four goals.

Mighty Ducks On Verge of a Sweep

Lupul's four goals put Anaheim in position to reach West finals

NHL PLAYOFFS | Just when they figured out how to put the puck past Ilya Bryzgalov, the Colorado Avalanche couldn't find a way to stop Joffrey Lupul.

Bryzgalov's shutout streak was snapped at three games Tuesday night, but Lupul scored four times, including the winner in overtime, to give the Anaheim Mighty Ducks a 4-3 win over the Avalanche and a 3-0 lead in their Western Conference semifinal series.

Bryzgalov saw his shutout streak end at 249 minutes, 15 seconds, the second longest in NHL playoff history. Only George Hainsworth had a longer streak, for Montreal in 1930.

It hardly mattered, because Lupul became the first player to score four goals in a playoff game since Theo Fleury did it for Calgary on May 13, 1995, at San Jose.

"It's unrealistic to think he is going to stop every puck," Ducks coach Randy Carlyle said of his 25-year-old rookie goaltender who has become the talk of the league.

The Ducks can complete the sweep Thursday night at the Pepsi Center. The Avalanche will try to join the 1975 New York Islanders and the 1942 Toronto Maple Leafs as the only teams to win a series after losing the first three games.

"We're not too worried about winning four games in a row," Avs defenseman Rob Blake said. "We've got to win one." ARNIE STAPLETON (AP)

TODAY'S TV LINEUP

BASEBALL (7 P.M. ON MASN) Zach Day vs. Bronson Arroyo is your pitching matchup for the finale of the Nationals-Reds series.

BASEBALL (7 P.M. ON CSN) Erik Bedard tries to shake off his first loss of the year when facing Kenny Rogers and the Detroit Tigers.

BASEBALL (3 P.M. ON WGN; 7 P.M. ON ESPN, 7 P.M. ON TBS) Barry Bonds and the Giants vs. the Cubs; Boston at N.Y. Yankees, Atlanta at Florida.

NHL PLAYOFFS (7 P.M. AND 10 P.M. ON TBS) Game 4 of the Ottawa-Buffalo series and Anaheim-Colorado series.

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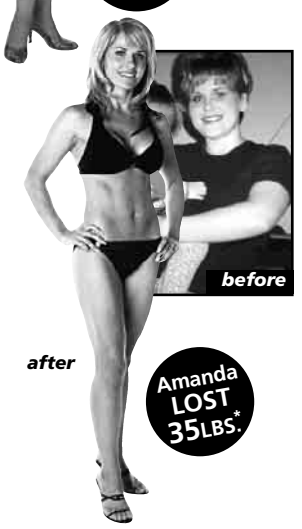

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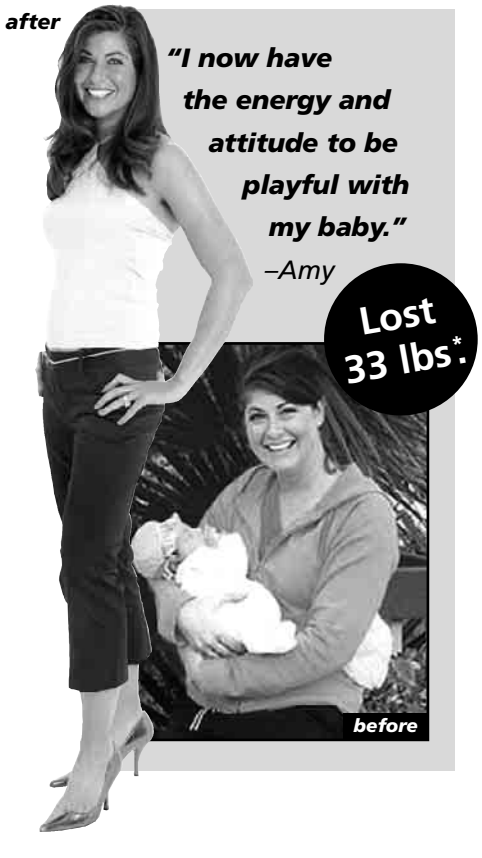

Television

MEL EVANS

PILLOW TALK: Host Melanie of "The Good Night Show" has plenty of tricks to get energetic Star to stay put for the night.

Sleepytime TV

A show aimed at toddlers helps them wind down at night

DROWSE HOUSE | It's bedtime and your toddler is having a meltdown, insisting on just one more episode of "Bob the Builder." Well, parents, now TV might help.

Melanie the baby sitter, Star the puppet and Hush the goldfish are the stars of a new bedtime show on PBS KIDS Sprout.

Since mid-April, the cast of "The Good Night Show" has been taping the second season in a Paulsboro, N.J., studio, just outside Philadelphia. The show returns in July on KIDS Sprout, a cable and satellite network owned jointly by Comcast Corp., PBS, Sesame Workshop and HIT Entertainment.

The network features programming aimed at 2- to 5-year-olds. "The Good Night Show" comes on at 6 p.m. daily, offering soothing stories and music that encourages toddlers to wind down and get ready for bed.

On the three-hour show, Melanie — in real life, she's Melanie Martinez, a 34-year-old stage actress and the mother of a 3-year-old — introduces 5- to 15-minute segments of kid favorites such as "Thomas & Friends," "Angelina Ballerina" and the old standby "Barney & Friends."

In between segments, Martinez leads yoga sessions, demonstrates crafts, teaches Spanish and, most importantly, helps the excitable puppet, Star, get ready for bed. It always works: By the end of every show, Star's lights are out.

Jennings Bryant, an expert in children's television at the University of Alabama, said that in an ideal world television should not be part of the bedtime routine for children, but "The Good Night Show" sounds better than some alternatives.

Its creators say the show is designed to be seen by parents and children together, uses repetition and slower pacing so that preschoolers can follow, and has infrequent commercials aimed mostly at parents rather than their tiny consumers.

"If they're going to watch television anyway, I would rather they watch something like this," Bryant said. GEOFF MULVIHILL (AP)

No Love Lost on NBC

There will be no looking back for the cast of 'West Wing'

NEGOTIATIONS | When NBC announced it was canceling "The West Wing" after seven seasons, it said the final episode in May would be accompanied by a retrospective on the series' history.

Instead, NBC is airing a repeat of the political drama's pilot on Sunday prior to the final episode.

A person close to the show who would speak only on condition of anonymity said the network couldn't reach an agreement with the show's cast members on what — or if — they would be paid to gather one last time and reminisce.

It's a sad ending for the show, which won four consecutive Emmy Awards as TV's best drama. Its final season was marred by declining ratings and the death of actor John Spencer, who played Leo McGarry, although many critics considered it a strong season creatively. DAVID BAUDER (AP)

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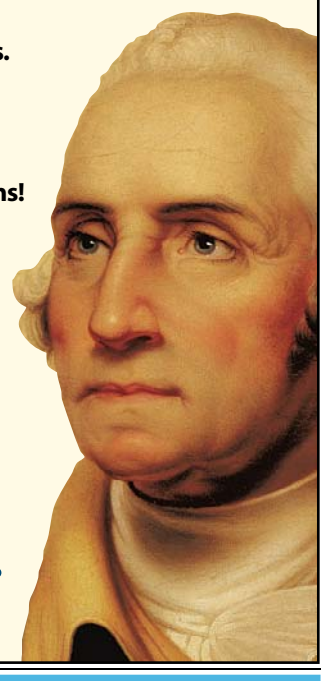

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THE MAGIC WORDS: Just whisper the name "Katie Couric," and viewers come flocking, it seems. The numbers for the "CBS Evening News," at which anchor desk Couric is set to sit come September, are already on the rise.

Hold the Cynicism

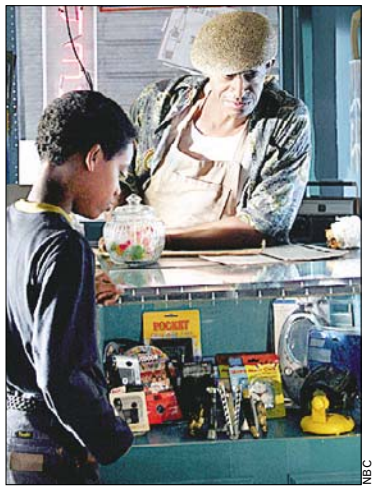
'Everybody Hates Chris' has charmed viewers for a season

FINALE | There was plenty riding on "Everybody Hates Chris" (8 p.m., UPN). Even before this season started, "Chris" attracted the most advanced acclaim from critics and advertisers. And they loved the pilot. "Chris" has continued to be charming, smart, hip, irreverent and occasionally touching all season long.

Most comic writers are afraid of that last attribute — touching. The creators of "Seinfeld" bragged that their show was without "hugs or lessons." That was right for "Seinfeld." But in lesser hands, that attitude metastasizes into cynical, formulaic sitcoms devoid of humanity and heart. The makers of "Chris" are never afraid to admit that you can still laugh with a lump in your throat, or that sometimes those are the richest laughs of all.

Tonight's "Chris" observes Mother's Day by celebrating Father's Day. Julius asks for peace and quiet on his big day, only to discover that he misses the chaos of family life.

While the UPN network is vanishing before our eyes, "Chris" is all but certain to return on the new CW network next fall. KEVIN MCDONOUGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)



NBC

Chris has to find a way to pass the time when his dad asks for peace and quiet.

ON TV TONIGHT

PRETTY ON THE INSIDE

MY NAME IS EARL (8:40 p.m., NBC) may involve petty criminals and bargain-basement harlots, but, at its heart, it's about divine grace and redemption. In tonight's finale, Earl tries to make up for the first transgression only to find he may forfeit his lottery windfall.

BET ON GETTING A NEW JOB

THE OFFICE (9:20 p.m., NBC) On tonight's finale: Michael sponsors a charity casino night, and the stakes grow very high.

MOVING ... TO THE '80S

THAT '70S SHOW (Fox), Red and Kitty put their house on the market (8 p.m.), the cast reminisces (8:37 p.m.).

'ROUND & ROUND' WAS CLASSIC!

BEHIND THE MUSIC (9 p.m., VH1) documents the rise and rapid decline of the hair-metal band Ratt.

NBC

CASH POOR: Lowlife Earl may quit living the high life in tonight's season finale.

CULT CHOICE

A con man (William Powell) and his lady (Bette Davis) set out to swindle the posh set in the bauble **FASHIONS OF 1934** (6:15 p.m., TCM). KEVIN MCDONOUGH UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)

5.11.06		6:00 PM	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
LOCAL CHANNELS	WRC 4	News CC		NBC Nightly News	Access Hollywood	Will & Grace (N)	(:40) My Name Is Earl "Number One"		(:20) The Office	(9:59) ER (N) CC		News CC	Tonight Show
	WTTG 5	Seinfeld CC	The Simpsons	The Simpsons	Seinfeld CC	That '70s Show	(:37) That '70s Show "The Final Goodbye" (N) CC			News		Geraldo at Large	Friends CC
	WJLA 7	News CC	ABC Wld News	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy! CC	American Inventor (N) CC		American Inventor "The Finale" (N)		(:01) Primetime CC		News CC	(:35) Nightline
	WUSA 9	News CC	CBS News	9News Tonight	Ent. Tonight	Survivor: Panama -- Exile Island		CSI: Crime Scene Investigation (N)		Without a Trace "White Balance" (N)		News CC	Late Show
	WDCA 20	That '70s Show	That '70s Show	Friends CC	Every-Raymond	Hates Chris	Love, Inc. CC	Eve CC	Cuts CC	The Tyra Banks Show (N) CC		Girlfriends CC	Girlfriends CC
	WMPT 22	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)		Business Rpt.	Business Conn.	MotorWeek CC	This Old House	National Geographic		Sheryl Crow, Wildflower		Water's Journey: The River Returns	
	WETA 26	BBC World News	Business Rpt.	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)		Wild Things CC		Wild Things Life and death struggle.		Japan: Memoirs of a Secret Empire		Charlie Rose (N) CC	
	WHUT 32	Tony Brown	Tavis Smiley	BBC World News	Moneywise	On Africa		Katrina: A Break in the Storm		BBC World News	Tavis Smiley	Charlie Rose (N) CC	
	WDCW 50	Steve Harvey	The Parkers	My Wife and Kids	Bernie Mac	Smallville "Vessel" CC		Smallville "Aqua" CC		Bernie Mac	My Wife and Kids	Sex and the City	Will & Grace
BASIC CABLE	A&E	American Justice "Stacey's Story"		Cold Case Files CC		The First 48 CC		The First 48 CC		Dallas SWAT CC		Crossing Jordan "As If By Fate"	
	Animal	The Crocodile Hunter Diaries CC		The Most Extreme "Tough Babies"		Get Out There! "Glacier Bay"		The Planet's Funniest Animals CC		Little Zoo That Could		Get Out There! "Glacier Bay"	
	BET	106 & Park: BET's Top 10 Live Busta Rhymes. (N) CC			BET Style (N)	Season of Tiger	College Hill CC	College Hill (N)	Season of Tiger	Comicview Scruncho. CC		Jamie Foxx	Jamie Foxx
	Bravo	(5:00) Cirque du Soleil: La Nouba		The West Wing "Ellie" CC		Top Chef "Reunion" CC		Cirque du Soleil: Dralion CC				Cirque du Soleil: La Nouba CC	
	Comedy	(5:00) "Look Who's Talking Too" CC		Reno 911! CC	Reno 911! CC	Daily Show	Colbert Report	Chappelle's Show	South Park CC	David Spade	South Park CC	Daily Show	Colbert Report
	Court	Forensic Files	Forensic Files	Cops CC	Cops CC	Hot Pursuit	Hot Pursuit	Body of Evidence	Body of Evidence	The Investigators		Hollywood Justice	Hollywood Justice
	Discovery	Cash Cab CC	Cash Cab CC	Munich: The Real Assassins CC		JFK: Death in Dealey Plaza CC		Conspiracy Files "JFK Assassination"		Unsolved History CC		Deadliest Catch	
	DISCH	Paramedics "Hoosier Companions"		Trauma: Life in the ER CC		Twins by Surrogacy CC		Quints by Surrogacy		Diagnosis: Unknown CC		Twins by Surrogacy CC	
	Disney	That's So Raven	Zack & Cody	Phil of the Future	That's So Raven	"The Proud Family" (2005, Fantasy) Voices of Kyla Pratt, Tommy Davidson.				Emperor New	Even Stevens	Zack & Cody	That's So Raven
	E!	Number 1 Single	The Simple Life 2	E! News (N)	The Daily 10 (N)	Sexiest "Celebrity Blondes"		Colin Farrell: True Hollywood Story		Child Star Con.	Lindsay Lohan	E! News	The Daily 10
	FX	King of the Hill	King of the Hill	That '70s Show	That '70s Show	Cops CC	Cops CC	Cops "Texas"	Cops "Texas"	Cops CC	Cops CC	King of the Hill	King of the Hill
	HGTV	Renovation	Wknd Warriors	Curb Appeal	House Hunters	My First Place	reDesign	Divine Design	Landscapers	House Hunters (N)	House Hunters	Design Inc.	Small Space
	Family	7th Heaven "There's No Place Like It"		7th Heaven "High and Dry" CC		★★ "Looney Tunes: Back in Action" (2003, Comedy) Brendan Fraser. CC				Whose Line?	Whose Line?	The 700 Club CC	
	History	Battlefield Engineering		Modern Marvels: Panzers CC		Snipers: One Shot -- One Kill CC		Snipers: World's Deadliest Snipers		Declassified The Taliban's jihad.		Iran: The Next Iraq? CC	
	Lifetime	The Golden Girls	The Golden Girls	Unsolved Mysteries CC		Unsolved Mysteries CC		"No One Would Tell" (1996) Candace Cameron, Fred Savage. Premiere. CC				Will & Grace	Will & Grace
	MTV	True Life "I'm Getting My Big Break"		Direct Effect		Tiara Girls	Tiara Girls	Tiara Girls	Tiara Girls	True Life "I Don't Fit In" (N)		Pimp My Ride	Pimp My Ride
	NICK	Ned's School	Danny Phantom	Fairly Oddparents	Jimmy Neutron	SpongeBob	Romeo! CC	Full House CC	Fresh Prince	Roseanne CC	Roseanne CC	Mad About You	The Cosby Show
	SCIFI	Stargate SG-1 "The Fifth Man" CC		"Hide and Creep" (2004, Horror) Melissa Bush, Kyle Holman. Premiere. CC				"A.I. Assault" (2006, Action) Joe Lando, Michael Dorn, Alexandra Paul. CC				★ "The Terror Within" (1989) CC	
	SPIKE	World's Wildest Police Videos CC		CSI: Crime Scene Investigation		CSI: Crime Scene Investigation		UFC Unleashed		The Ultimate Fighter (N)		TNA iMPACT! (N) CC	
	TBS	Seinfeld CC	Seinfeld CC	MLB Baseball Atlanta Braves at Florida Marlins. From Dolphins Stadium in Miami. (Subject to Blackout) (Live) CC						★★★ "Crimson Tide" (1995) Denzel Washington, Gene Hackman. CC			
	TLC	Martha (N) CC		Wrecks to Riches CC		Wrecks to Riches "Christine Camaro"		Wrecks to Riches "The Apprentices"		Overhaulin' "Lowrider Girl" CC		Wrecks to Riches "Christine Camaro"	
	TNT	Charmed "Little Monsters" CC		Law & Order "Bounty" CC (DVS)		Law & Order "Chosen"		Law & Order "For Love or Money"		Law & Order "Floater" CC (DVS)		Without a Trace "Trip Box" CC	
	USA	Law & Order: Criminal Intent CC		Law & Order: Criminal Intent CC		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit		Law & Order: Criminal Intent CC		Law & Order: Criminal Intent CC		Law & Order: Criminal Intent CC	
	VHI	Shocking Moments in Rock		Shocking Moments in Rock		Shocking Moments in Rock		Behind the Music "Ratt" Ratt. (N)		Behind the Music "Pantera" Pantera.		Behind the Music "Ratt" Ratt. CC	
SPAN.	TELEM	Sala de Parejas	Noti-Telemndo	La Tormenta		(:05) Tierra de Pasiones		(:15) Corazón Partido		Decisiones		Noti-Telemndo	Titulares y Mas
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SPORTS	ESPN	SportsCenter (Live) CC			NBA Shootaround	NBA Basketball Conference Semifinal Game 2 -- Teams TBA. (Live) CC					NBA Basketball: Conference Semifinal		
	ESPN2	Mike and Mike	Around the Horn	MLB Baseball Boston Red Sox at New York Yankees. From Yankee Stadium in the Bronx, N.Y. (Subject to Blackout)						Baseball Tonight (Live)		Quite Frankly With Stephen A. Smith	
	CSN	Knockouts	SportsNite CC	MLB Baseball Detroit Tigers at Baltimore Orioles. From Oriole Park at Camden Yards in Baltimore. (Live)						SportsNite (Live) CC		ACC All-Access	Best-Sports
NEWS	CNN	Lou Dobbs Tonight CC		The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now CC		Larry King Live CC		Anderson Cooper 360 CC			
	FNC	Special Report (Live) CC		The Fox Report With Shepard Smith		The O'Reilly Factor (Live) CC		Hannity & Colmes (Live) CC		On the Record-Van Susteren		The O'Reilly Factor	
	MSNBC	The Abrams Report		Hardball CC		Countdown With Keith Olbermann		Scarborough Country		Rita Cosby Live & Direct		The Situation With Tucker Carlson	
MOVIES	AMC	★★★ "The Day the Earth Stood Still" (1951) Michael Rennie. 'G'				★★ "The Poseidon Adventure" (1972, Suspense) Gene Hackman, Ernest Borgnine. 'PG'					★★ "K-19: The Widowmaker" (2002) Harrison Ford. CC		
	TCM	(:15) ★★★ "Fashions of 1934" (1934, Drama) Bette Davis. 'NR'				★★★ "Imitation of Life" (1934, Drama) Claudette Colbert. 'NR' CC				★★★ "The Littlest Rebel" (1935) Shirley Temple. 'PG'			Show Boat (1936)
	HBO	★★ "The Addams Family" (1991) Anjelica Huston. CC			(:45) ★★ "Spanglish" (2004, Comedy-Drama) Adam Sandler, Tea Leoni. 'PG-13' CC					Mike Epps: Inappropriate Behavior		Real Sex Sex lives in the '90s. CC	
	MAX	(5:30) ★★★ "Assault on Precinct 13" (2005) 'R' CC			★★★ "Carlito's Way" (1993, Drama) Al Pacino, Sean Penn, Penelope Ann Miller. 'R' CC					★★ "Dominion: A Prequel to the Exorcist" (2005) Stellan Skarsgard. 'R'			
	SHOW	(:15) ★★ "The Stickup" (2001, Crime Drama) James Spader. iTV. 'R' CC				(:15) ★★★ "The Assassination of Richard Nixon" (2004) Sean Penn. 'R'				Penn & Teller	Penn & Teller	HUFF (iTV) Huff worries about Russell.	
	TMC	(:15) ★★★ "My Girl" (1991, Comedy-Drama) Macaulay Culkin. 'PG' CC				★★★ "My Date With Drew" (2004) Premiere. 'PG'			(:35) ★★★ "Stage Beauty" (2004) Billy Crudup. Premiere. 'R' CC				Flesh & Blood 'R'
	STARZ!	(5:10) ★★ "Steel" (1997) 'PG-13'		(6:50) ★★ "Ice Princess" (2005) Joan Cusack. 'G' CC			Hwd Reporter	★★ "The Pacifier" (2005) Vin Diesel. 'PG' CC			(:40) ★★★ "Cape Fear" (1991) Robert De Niro. 'R' CC		
	ENCORE	(:15) ★★ "Problem Child 2" (1991, Comedy) John Ritter. 'PG-13' CC				★★ "Mr. 3000" (2004) Bernie Mac. 'PG-13' CC			(:45) ★★★ "G.I. Jane" (1997, Drama) Demi Moore, Viggo Mortensen, Anne Bancroft. 'R' CC				

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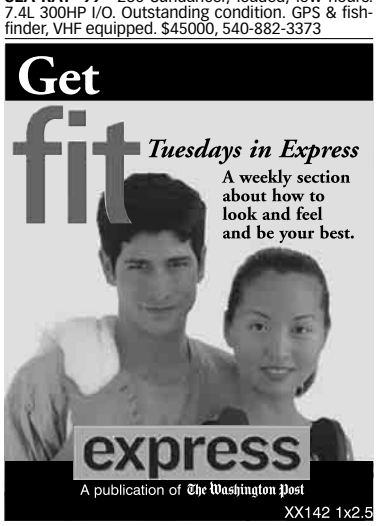

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BRIAN TIETZ/AP

FIVE FINGERS, FIVE TOES: Jared and Wendy Kennedy used frozen eggs to produce their new daughter, Avery. She may be the first U.S. baby born using this method.

Thawing Out Baby

Fertility

Frozen eggs open up new avenues for would-be parents

Avery Lee Kennedy isn't just a cute four-month-old. She may be the embodiment of a new avenue in fertility treatments.

Avery was conceived using a frozen donor egg from a bank, a fledgling approach to helping infertile couples that lessens some of the disadvantages of using fresh donated ovum — such as inconvenience, emotional turmoil and availability.

"In five years nobody is going to think anything about this [using frozen donor eggs]," said Wendy Kennedy, Avery's mom. "It will become the norm."

Two donor agencies sell frozen eggs in the United States and at least one other may enter the arena. But for now, the process is rare. Avery may be the first child born in the United States from a frozen donor egg.

Typically donor egg pregnancies are achieved by using fresh eggs harvested from a donor. The eggs are then fertilized and implanted in another woman.

The American Society for Reproductive Medicine says egg freezing is still an experimental technology; few doctors know how to freeze and thaw eggs properly.

The method has been spotlighted recently because it has been promoted to young women as a way to save their eggs for use later in life. But some doctors say it's inappropriate to market an experimental procedure as biological insurance.

There are no reliable statistics of the success of having a baby using frozen eggs, said Dr. Marc A. Fritz, chairman of the practice committee of the American Society for Reproductive Medicine. The odds of having a baby using fresh donor eggs were 51 percent in 2003, the last year for which data are available from the Centers of Disease Control and Prevention.

Using fresh donor eggs has its own challenges. It requires that the menstrual cycles of the donor and recipient be synchronized using hormones, so finding a mutually convenient time can be a chore, and a donor may either not produce eggs or change her mind mid-cycle.

Demand for egg donors has increased as women wait longer to start their families. Ova quality drops dramatically after age 35 and is a chief cause of infertility.

Frozen donor eggs would eliminate such problems, experts said.

A live donor can produce as many as many as 20 eggs, but no more than five embryos should be implanted. Kennedy only purchased seven eggs. Five survived thawing and were then fertilized with her husband's sperm, leading to three embryos that were implanted.

> "In five years nobody is going to think anything about [using frozen donor eggs]. It will become the norm."
>
> **WENDY KENNEDY**
> MOM OF FROZEN-EGG BABY

Fred Rosenmund started The Donor Egg Bank last year after he and his wife experienced fertility problems. The bank has frozen eggs from 14 donors, said Dr. John Jain, a professor at University of Southern California's Keck School of Medicine and consultant to the bank.

Jain says using frozen eggs is cheaper for recipients because a donor's roughly 18 to 20 ovum are split into two batches spreading out the associated costs between two recipients.

Recipients pay $18,000 for about 8 frozen eggs and, after paying for drugs and implantation, their total costs go up to about $20,000 in Los Angeles. If the eggs don't result in a live birth, the recipient gets additional ones for free.

A fresh donor cycle would cost around $30,000. A cycle's price varies around the country depending on fees paid to doctors and donors. The Donor Egg Bank pays donors $7,000.

Starting a frozen egg bank is risky because donors' fees and medical expenses must be paid upfront even though their eggs may never sell, one reason The Donor Source International hasn't started an egg bank, said CEO Steve Masler. It is being considered, he added, but said he still isn't sure about the technology's reliability.

Jain said USC has been conducting an experiment where researchers freeze a woman's own eggs then thaw, fertilize and implant them. Fifty percent of the 20 women in the study have an ongoing pregnancy. THERESA AGOVINO (AP)

LOOK out

When Sex Doesn't Sell

Pharmaceuticals

Men aren't buying Viagra clones. Are bad ads to blame?

Sex sells, yet the racy ads that introduced erectile dysfunction drugs were more successful at raising public outrage than sales.

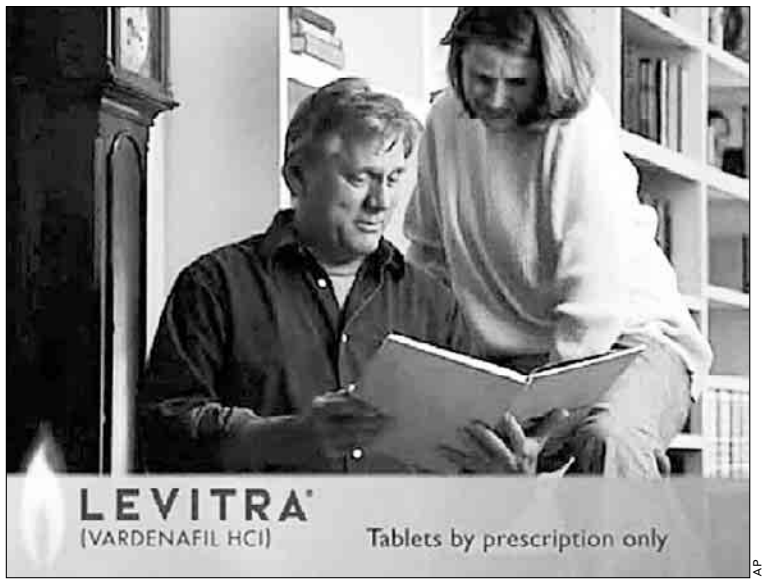
Levitra and Viagra now have new campaigns that forego the provocative in favor of depicting erectile dysfunction as a medical condition, not simply a lifestyle concern. The commercials are a recognition of the prior approach's failure to expand the market, as well new guidelines adopted by the industry in January to address critics' concerns and improve ads' accuracy.

Viagra's new ad, launched Monday, leads with a frisky couple, then a doctor surfaces to explain the drug's risk and benefits. Levitra's commercials, which have been airing since March, focus on how diabetes and high blood pressure can lead to erectile dysfunction. Meanwhile, a Cialis campaign started in January but it's similar to earlier efforts focused on its ability to last for 36 hours.

> "There are many reasons people don't have sex. Maybe they have relationship dysfunction. Sex goes beyond an erection."
>
> BARBARA RYAN
> PHARMACEUTICAL ANALYST

The more clinical approach has won kudos from some experts, though no one is sure if that will translate to higher sales. Revenues have fallen short of expectations and growth was flat last year as two of the drugs makers cut back on ad spending.

Roughly 30 million men over the age of 40 suffer from some kind of erectile dysfunction in the United States, leading many to believe the market for impotency pills would explode when Cialis and Levitra joined the category in 2003. That never happened. Now some analysts and doctors are wondering whether the market will grow or just sink into a three-way slug fest for market share.



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Levitra's new ads are the opposite of racy. The old ads caused public outrage.

"I think the market is pretty well-defined," said Barbara Ryan, an analyst at Deutsche Bank. "There are many reasons people don't have sex. Maybe they have relationship dysfunction. Sex goes beyond just getting an erection."

Recognizing that not all men with erectile dysfunction want to have sex or have a willing partner, Viagra's maker Pfizer estimates the true market size at about 15 million men. One doctor puts the number at 10 million men.

Regardless of the market size, these drugs have to be advertised because demand is almost totally driven by consumers.

Patrick Kelly, president of Pfizer US Pharmaceuticals, said he believes the new campaign will revitalize Viagra sales as it strikes the right balance between playful and medical. In the ad, a man watching a sports event hesitates when his partner signals she desires romance before realizing he can tape the game. A doctor then appears to give medical information about Viagra.

Dr. Natan Bar-Chama, a urologist at Mt. Sinai Hospital in New York, said that advertising approaches which only dealt with erectile dysfunction in a sexual context and not as a medical issue didn't help men overcome the embarrassment that often accompanies the problem. He said that ads were simply "asking men to declare themselves as impotent."

Pfizer and Levitra both began running nonbranded ads about erectile dysfunction last year as part of its new campaign. They were designed to educate men and help them become more comfortable with the condition. "It diminishes the psychological insecurity," said Bar-Chama. THERESA AGOVINO (AP)

5 Day Forecast for the Washington Area

Today	Tonight	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday
Rain, a thunderstorm	Rain, thunderstorm early	A p.m. thundershower possible	Partly sunny, thunderstorm possible	Chance of a shower or thunderstorm	Rather cloudy, rain possible
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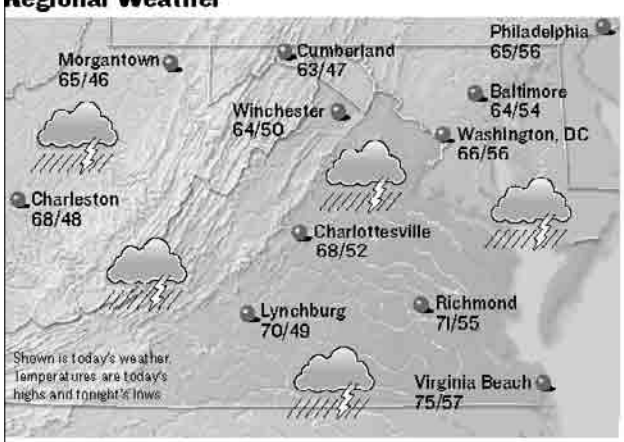

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Washington, D.C., through 4 p.m. Wed.

Temperature

High	77°
Low	50°
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Normal low	54°
Average humidity	46%

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24 hours ending 4 p.m.	0.00"
Month to date	0.18"
Normal month to date	1.16"
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Last year to date	13.85"
Normal year to date	13.37"

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Regional Forecast

D.C. Metro: Today, rain, a thunderstorm, some of the rain heavy at times, cooler. High 66. Winds southeast 8-16 mph.

Sun and Moon

Sunrise today	6:00 a.m.
Sunset tonight	8:10 p.m.
Moonrise today	6:53 p.m.
Moonset today	4:51 a.m.

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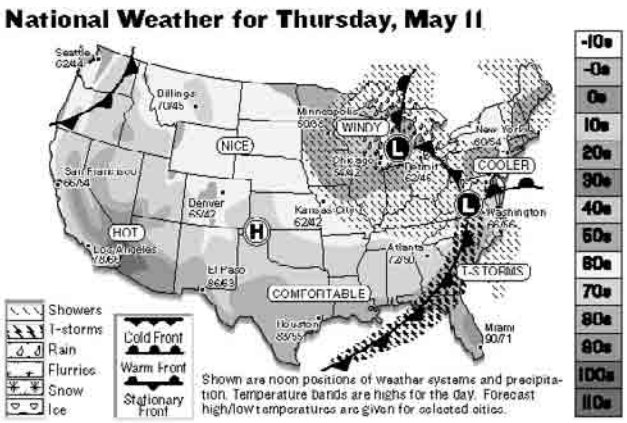

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Atlanta	72/50/pc	71/50/s
Boston	50/48/r	52/48/r
Chicago	54/42/r	49/42/sh
Dallas	78/56/s	86/62/s
Denver	65/42/s	79/46/s
Honolulu	84/72/pc	84/71/pc
Los Angeles	78/60/pc	78/60/pc
Miami	90/71/pc	87/67/pc
New York City	60/54/r	60/52/r
Orlando	94/65/t	86/59/s
Seattle	62/44/c	60/42/pc

World Cities

City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Fri. Hi/Lo/W
Amsterdam	72/54/pc	73/55/pc
Athens	74/56/pc	73/58/pc
Berlin	74/50/s	72/57/pc
Buenos Aires	70/57/pc	67/57/s
Calgary	65/40/pc	56/39/pc
Dublin	61/46/pc	61/50/pc
Geneva	70/44/pc	73/50/pc
Moscow	58/46/c	63/42/pc
Rome	66/42/r	73/54/pc
Sydney	64/50/pc	65/50/pc
Tokyo	71/53/pc	66/53/pc

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Styles | Look out

Mum's the Word

Stylish ways to say that Mommy and you are one

With Mother's Day fast approaching (it's this Sunday, May 14th, for those of you who forgot) the race to find the perfect gift is on. Here, a few fashionable choices, broken down by the sentiment you're trying to convey.

IF YOU WANT TO SAY, "MOM, YOU'RE A GEM": Christie Martin's ID Necklace allows mom to wear her heart on her sleeve — or, rather, around her neck — by engraving her offspring's name on the chunky heart-shaped sterling silver charm ($84, girlshop.com). The Offspring necklace from Georg Jensen features two asymmetrical silver ovals, one nestled inside the other, representing mother and child ($360, Georg Jensen stores or georgjensen.com). Lulu Frost's Cut Steel Shoe Buckle Cuffs are fashioned from, yes, actual metal shoe buckles from the 1890s. ($295-$360, Saks Fifth Avenue online). Dede Metal specializes in feminine-yet-edgy jewelry to suit a variety of styles. The delicate Hammered Spike drop earrings ($90) and the elegant Donut Studs ($60) both come in matte gold vermeil (sterling silver dipped in real gold) or polished sterling silver. (Dede Metal is offering a 20 percent Mother's Day discount on all styles, and free shipping on orders over $100; dedemetal.com.)

The "Offspring" necklace depicts a baby oval and a mommy oval. Dede Metal's "Spike" earrings depict the daggers that shoot from Mom's eyes when she's mad.

Stacy Lapidus' diaper bag almost looks like a normal purse. And your mom is almost a normal mom.

IF YOU WANT TO SAY, "MOM, YOU'RE SO WISE:" Whether she's the proud mother of many or a new mom-to-be, "Mother to Son, Shared Wisdom from the Heart" by Melissa Harrison and Harry H. Harrison, Jr. ($8, Workman) is filled with fun and fascinating words of wisdom to guide all moms through their lifetime journey of raising boys to men. Or, say thanks with "The 312 Best Things About Being a Stepmom" by Cynthia Copeland ($9, Workman), which brings wisdom, perspective and humor to a challenging role.

IF YOU WANT TO SAY, "MOM, I WANT TO BE JUST LIKE YOU WHEN I GROW UP": Think matching mother-baby outfits went out with Donna Reed? Think again. IISLI's striped cotton shirt dress ($368, Kitson) and coordinating baby shirt ($118, Estella in New York) manage to be equal parts cute and cool. Yes, cool. Lulu Frost uses vintage hardware to create pretty one-of-a-kind pieces that are both classic and modern. Mom can wear the antique Key necklace ($300) and her daughter can wear the matching Keyhole pendant ($180) — or vice versa. (lulufrost.com, girlshop.com and Anthropologie stores)

IF YOU WANT TO SAY, "MOM, YOU'RE SO BEAUTIFUL": Boutique perfumer Sarah Horowitz's new trio of scents are called What Comes From Within and can be worn alone or layered together. They go for $95 each and are sold exclusively at Barneys New York. O'Loofa ingeniously combines high-quality olive oil soap within a loofah, allowing time-pressed moms to exfoliate while they suds for smooth, baby soft skin. And at $8 each or $24 for the O'Loofa Variety Pack of three scented soaps (jasmine, amber and honey lemon), you'll be guaranteed to have mom singing in the shower. (See oloofa.com for stores.)

IF YOU WANT TO SAY, "MOM, YOU'RE SO ORGANIZED": The momAgenda is a "Why didn't somebody think of this sooner?" day planner created specifically for mothers, by a mother. The stylish pastel planner helps restore order to the scheduling challenges that go with parenting via its clever week-at-a-glance layout, which has separate spaces for mom and each child, allowing busy mothers to manage multiple schedules with ease ($64, momagenda.com).

IF YOU WANT TO SAY, "MOM, YOU'RE THE HIPPEST": Who says diaper bags have to be dowdy? Stacey Lapidus' Tough Girl diaper bag boasts rock-and-roll studs on its luxe red, blue or black leather exterior ($580, Nordstrom or staceylapidus.com).

LAUREN DAVID PEDEN (FASHION WIRE DAILY)

Sarah Horowitz's trio of scents will please the tri-polar mother figure.

Drinking

Sake for Snobs

"SAKE: A MODERN GUIDE" by Beau Timken and Sara Deseran ($20, Chronicle) is not for the guy who wittily quips "Sake it to me!" at every sushi place he visits. The book is for the serious aficionado of the rice wine, and covers everything from its history to the vessels from which it should be imbibed. There's also a list of 50 sakes to try, and a nice collection of recipes you can use to spike your friends' dinners. The last section covers mixed drinks you can make with sake, including a sake-rita and a "Tamari Mary." KRISTEN PAGE-KIRBY (EXPRESS)

Cooking

The Flavor Saver

If your spice rack holds naught but a six-year-old jar of oregano, a bottle of Texas Pete hot sauce and something called "spice for chicken," then **"SPICE: FLAVORS OF THE EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN"** by Ana Sortun ($35, Regan) is not for you. If you like the cumin, saffron, cinnamon and turmeric, however, and are willing to do some work to put dinner on the table, it's a book worth having. The chapters are organized according to spice, which is disorienting if you're looking for the typical appetizer-main course-dessert layout. The writing style is easy and enjoyable, and the recipes are fairly healthy; with the book's focus on flavor, fattening ingredients and heavy sauces are mostly absent. Plus, vegetarian options are plentiful. K.P.K.

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Staying Above Water

WATER LOGGED | Are you considering buying waterfront property? Do you live near the **POTOMAC** or **ANACOSTIA** rivers? Wednesday on **FREE RIDE**, we featured a Web site, **FLOOD.FIRETREE.NET**, that'll allow you to look at the D.C. area (and other areas around the country) on a Google Map and see what it could look like if the Atlantic Ocean and Cheapeake Bay end up rising by a couple of meters. Although the majority of the nation's capital is safe from a modest rise in ocean levels, even a 5-meter inundation would flood areas near the **WORLD WAR II MEMORIAL**, at **REAGAN NATIONAL AIRPORT** and near the **NAVY YARD**. A 7-meter rise would bring the Potomac to the South Lawn of the **WHITE HOUSE**.

As the area saw with **TROPICAL STORM ISABEL**, the storm surge from hurricanes and other big weather systems can push plenty of water Washington's way. Scientists recently released a report showing a doomsday scenario for the Chesapeake Bay and its estuaries if a Category 4 hurricane hit the Carolinas at high tide. A 18-20 foot storm surge could swamp **BALTIMORE** under the right conditions.

What should area governments do to prepare for a potential weather disaster? Are they doing enough? Join the discussion at readexpress.com or e-mail us at **COMMENTS@READEXPRESS.COM**.

MICHAEL GRASS (EXPRESS)

DANYA SMITH/TWP

Tropical Storm Isabel swamped Old Town Alexandria in 2003. What if sea levels rise?

→ Coming up today

The idea of a commuter tax for D.C. has always been a touchy subject. After a federal appeals court ruled last fall that the District government can't impose a tax on Virginia and Maryland residents who work in D.C., the District asked the Supreme Court to hear the case. And the high court, perhaps has early as today, may make a decision on whether to review the case. Check in with Free Ride and give your two cents on the controversial issue.

Poll Center

TODAY'S QUESTION

Do you support a commuter tax for D.C.?

1. Yes
2. No

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Will you spend $500 for a new PlayStation3?

- 8% Yes
- 60% No
- 20% Waiting for prices to drop
- 12% Sticking with my Atari

As of 6:15 p.m. Not a scientific poll.

CAST YOUR VOTE AND SEE HOW YOUR FELLOW METRO COMMUTERS WEIGHED IN ON TODAY'S QUESTION BY VISITING **READEXPRESS.COM/POLLCENTER.PHP**

The Blog Log

"As [George W. Bush] has demonstrated, a Bush governor mov[ing] into the White House is a whole other ball of wax, one ... messy one ..."

WITH PRESIDENT BUSH TALKING UP HIS BROTHER JEB, FLORIDA'S GOVERNOR, AS A POTENTIALLY GOOD PRESIDENT, **POLIWATCH.ORG** WARNS THAT LEAVING STATE GOVERNMENT FOR WASHINGTON IS NOT SO EASY.

A Neighborhood War

"It's great to try to address the long-term solutions to these problems, but [it does] ZERO to address the short-term problems of homelessness. Also, the focus on the short-term emergency shelter ignores all the good work the shelter provides."

ON GEORGIA AVENUE NW, A RALLY IS PLANNED AT 6 P.M. TO PROTEST A NEW HOMELESS SHELTER THAT'S PLANNED FOR PETWORTH AND **PETWORTH.BLOGS.COM** IS ABUZZ WITH COMMENTS.

Too Much Death

"Iraq is dying and sinking in a bath of blood, killing, corruption and mischief. This is not conspiracy but reality [that exists] every day and night."

IRAQ BLOGGER **HAMMORABI.BLOGSPOT.COM** NOTES THE DEATH AND DESPAIR IN IRAQ.

Andy's Blogging

" ... [T]here is really no set format and I have never done this before so be patient haha ... if this one is terrible, then it will get better ... if this one is good, then next week's will most likely be much worse. i think I am just going to go for random thoughts."

TENNIS STAR ANDY RODDICK HAS STARTED A BLOG AT **ANDYRODDICK.COM** AND IS TESTING THE WATERS, NOT PROMISING MUCH.

"I'm not saying [Coldplay is] a bad band. I consider them to be quite good. But their music is pretty much only good for ... muted monochromatic montages in bad films."

TOOMANYWORDS.NET THINKS THE POPULAR BRITISH BAND COULD USE SOME HAPPY PILLS TO JAZZ UP ITS MUSIC.

DO

GRADUATE TO SURREALISTICALLY ARTSY TIME-WASTERS. Dumb, mindless online games are a dime a dozen; most, however, don't really look like their creators put actual effort into making them. Fubbs.net, however, shuns the simplistic for games that look like they were produced by Terry Gilliam.

Live Online

Helen Reddy

Singer **HELEN REDDY** ("I Am Woman") was online Tuesday to talk about her life and career as an entertainer. | **washingtonpost.com/liveonline**

Did I hear you say on the "Today" show that you're finished with performing? If so, why? Would you please explain.

I had been performing since I was five years old. I quit at the age of 60. I did it for 55 years. So isn't that long enough? There are other things that I wanted to do with my life which I'm doing. I am now a clinical hypnotherapist and I'm enjoying living a much quieter life. It was enough. How many people want to do the same things for more than 55 years? I haven't exactly retired from life though. I still speak, I still write. I'm just not singing anymore. I'm not in the entertainment business anymore.

Would you as a woman find it hard to break into the music scene at the present time? What advice would you give women of today about who they are and what role they play in today's world?

I wouldn't attempt to break into the music business today and my advice to any woman is be true to yourself. Don't listen to the voices that tell you you are too fat, too thin, too old, too young, not blonde enough, etc., etc.

When you accepted your Grammy award for "I Am Woman," you thanked "God because She makes everything possible." What kind of reaction did that comment spark from organized religion?

I got a couple of crank letters from individuals but I don't recall any reaction from any organized religion.

Hi. I'm looking forward to reading your book ["The Woman I Am"]. What is your life like today, now that you are no longer performing?

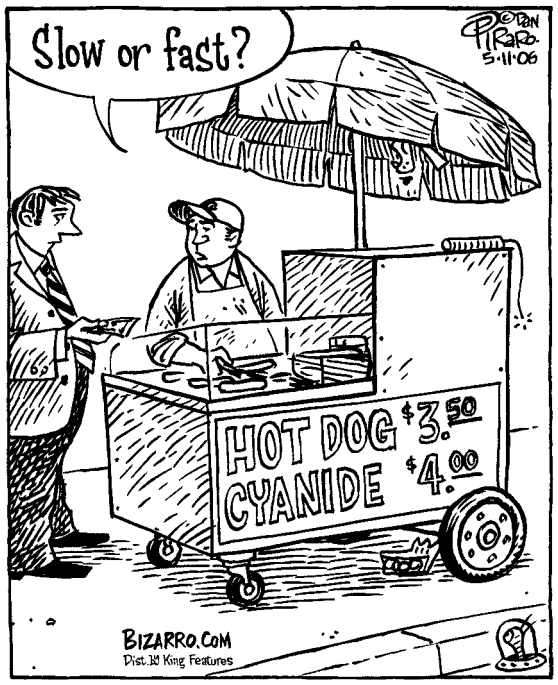
I now live in Sydney and am very happy living a quiet, laid back life.

→ Today on Live Online

NOON: Director Sam Pollard discusses the American Masters film "John Ford/John Wayne: The Filmmaker and the Legend."

Look out

Bizarro | *Dan Piraro*



Cornered | *Mike Baldwin*

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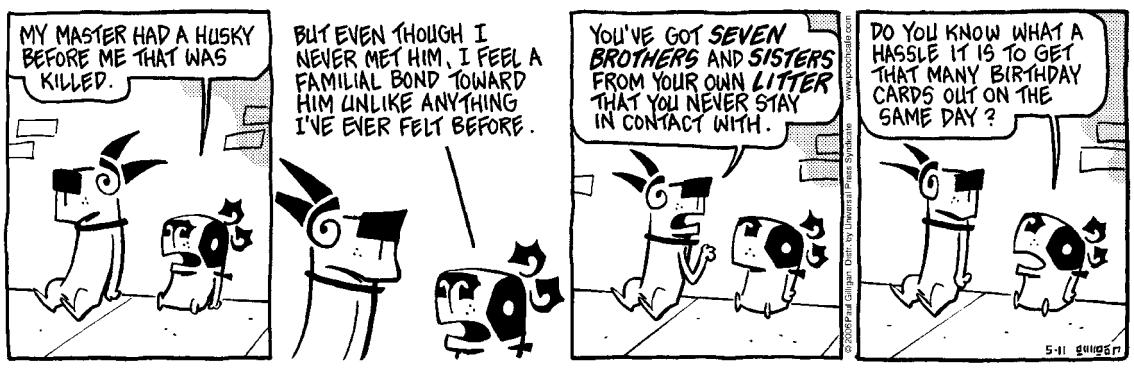

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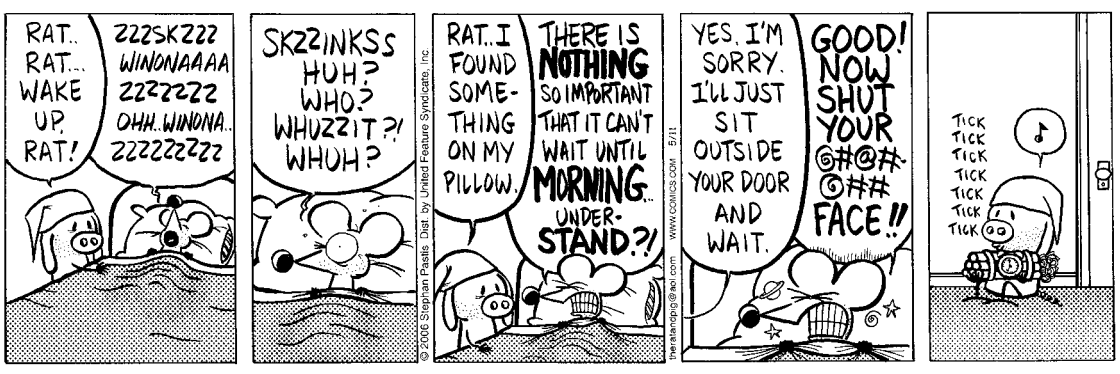

The Duplex | *Glenn McCoy*

Horoscope

By Stella Wilder

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) What you say to others in moments of high stress will be telling. Many will realize whom they've been dealing with over time.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You may be contemplating a move, but this is not a good day to make decisions that will lock you into one strategy or another.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You may have the opportunity to host someone you admire — in your home or at the workplace. Be gracious, accommodating and stylish.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You're in the mood to spend your time with someone as fun loving and mischievous as you are. Try a Gemini native on for size.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) The best thing you can do for a friend or loved one is offer unsolicited compliments. The favor will be returned when the time comes.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) There's no point in thinking you're better than someone else. Concentrate instead on getting the job done, in whatever fashion.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) You may have difficulty rising in the morning, but when you remember just what you are anticipating, you'll spring out of bed.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) Don't take it all on your own shoulders; share the credit — and the blame — with all those who have played a role.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You won't have any qualms about being direct with someone who comes up against you in an official capacity.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) An error needn't be permanent. Take the time to reverse anything that goes wrong as soon as possible. Don't wait for instructions.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Do what you can to increase your own awareness. What you learn can do wonders in increasing health and confidence.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Take care that your criticism doesn't go too far. There's a fine line between being constructive and merely nagging after all.

Letters

Gallaudet Situation Is Dire

WHILE WEDNESDAY'S letter-writer makes a valid point, it should also be pointed out that since Gallaudet is the only deaf university in the world, then Congress should be very interested in its continuance. This is a one-of-a-kind situation, and the quality of our future deaf leaders depends on the choice we make for president now. Waiting for Dr. Fernandes to foul up to the point that it is so obvious and have her replaced would place the survival of Gallaudet in peril.

—DEBORAH BROADUS-MUSKAUSKI
Baltimore, Md.

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Today in History

1647 Peter Stuyvesant arrived in New Amsterdam to become governor.

1943 During World War II, U.S. forces landed on the Aleutian island of Attu, which was held by the Japanese; the Americans took the island 19 days later.

1949 Israel was admitted to the United Nations as the world body's 59th member.

1973 Charges against Daniel Ellsberg for his role in the "Pentagon Papers" case were dismissed by Judge William M. Byrne, who cited government misconduct.

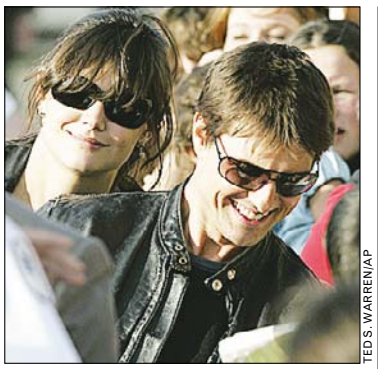
1981 Reggae artist Bob Marley died in Miami at age 36.

2001 Douglas Adams, author of "The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy," died in California at age 49.

AP PHOTO

Today, in 1981, Reggae artist Bob Marley died of brain cancer at a Miami hospital.

Look out | People



TED S. WARREN/AP

Wethinks Katie is a little bit bloated.

PRIZES

Win a Creepy Encounter With Tom and Katie Cruise!

About 2,000 cheering fans who turned out Tuesday night to greet **TOM CRUISE** in Aberdeen, Wash., were delighted when he arrived with **KATIE HOLMES**. Cruise was to attend a private screening of "Mission: Impossible III" with lucky contest winner Kevin McCoy and 150 of his friends. McCoy won an e-mail contest sponsored by Paramount Pictures and Yahoo. (AP)

VISITS

Rowling Slums It Stateside

J.K. ROWLING, Stephen King and John Irving will read selections from their works during two benefit performances at Radio City Music Hall this summer. It will be Rowling's first visit to the U.S. since 2000. "Stephen pretended to be in suspense about my answer, but frankly, this was easily one of the most enticing propositions ever put to me in an envelope," Rowling said. (AP)

VINCE BUCCI/GETTY IMAGES

IF AT FIRST YOU DROP THE BABY

Try, Try Again

BRITNEY SPEARS told David Letterman on Tuesday that she is pregnant again. "Don't worry Dave, it's not yours," she said. The revelation ended weeks of speculation in entertainment magazines, which have been regularly publishing pictures of Spears' apparently expanding waistline. Spears, 24, is married to, backup dancer-turned-rapper Kevin Federline, 28. (AP)

RETURNS

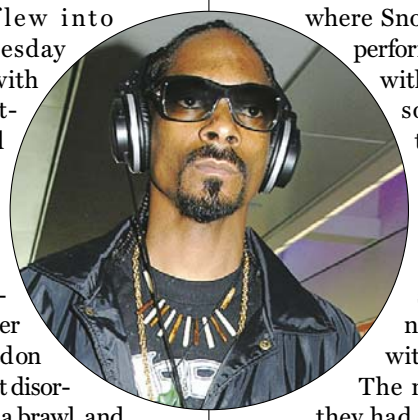
Our Final Answer: No

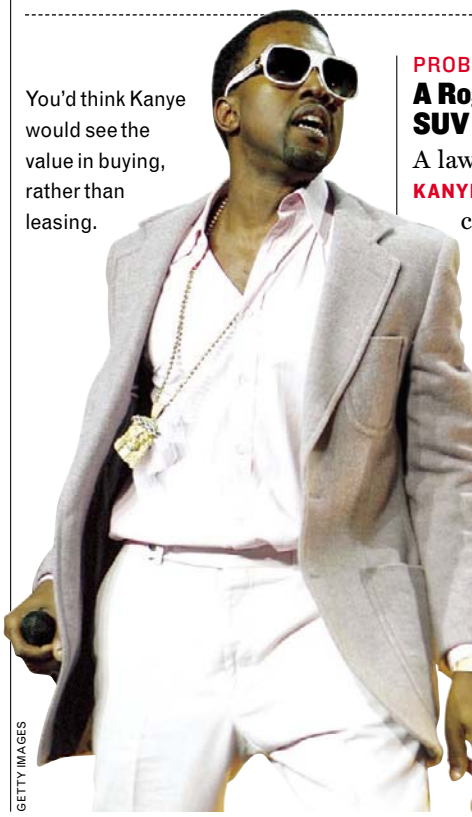
REGIS PHILBIN is headed back to prime-time TV as host of a new NBC summertime talent competition. "America's Got Talent" will air twice a week this summer — a competition and a result show. The "American Idol"-style show will include dancers, comedians and other talents instead of just singers. It has a two-hour debut on June 21, and will air on Wednesdays and Thursdays throughout the summer. (AP)

SCUFFLES

The Food in First Class Isn't That Much Better

SNOOP DOGG flew into London Wednesday for a meeting with police after getting involved in a brawl at Heathrow Airport last month. The 34-year-old rapper and five other men were arrested on charges of violent disorder and starting a brawl, and spent the night in jail, after trouble flared when some of Snoop's party were denied entry to British Airways' first-class lounge. The group had been en route to South Africa, where Snoop was due to perform. They clashed with officials after some were told they didn't have the correct tickets to enter the lounge. Police released the six, saying they had not been charged with any offenses. The men were told they had to return after further investigations had been carried out. (AP)





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You'd think Kanye would see the value in buying, rather than leasing.

PROBLEMS

A Rogue Mercedes SUV Is No Man's Friend

A lawsuit has been filed against **KANYE WEST** and his production company claiming breach of contract for not returning a Mercedes-Benz after its lease expired in January. The suit, filed Friday in Superior Court, said West's Konman Entertainment leased a 2003 Mercedes G500 in September 2002, with the agreement calling for 39 consecutive payments of $1,295 a month. As Konman's president, West signed as lease guarantor. DCFS Trust claimed the luxury sport utility vehicle was not returned as scheduled and holdover fees were not paid. (AP)

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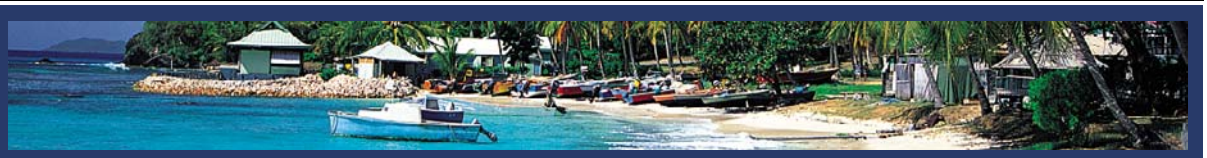

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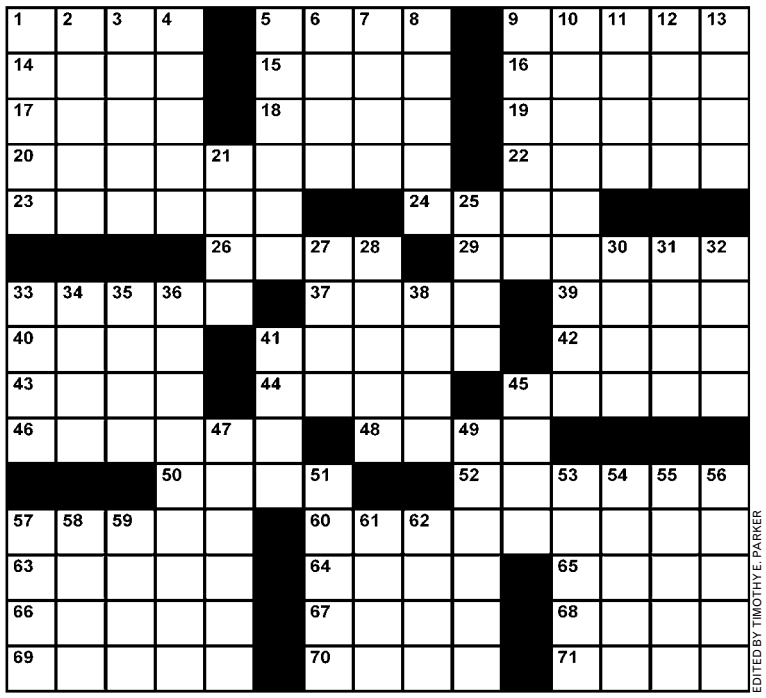
Young At Heart



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70 "God Bless America," singer Smith
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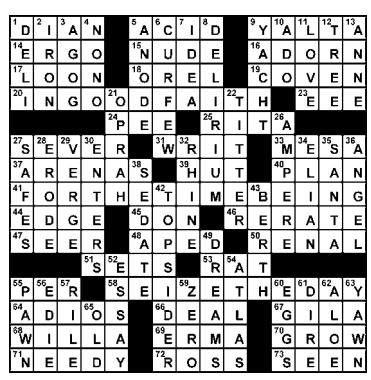

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Yesterday's Solution

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Need more Su|do|ku?
Find another Sudoku puzzle in the Comics section of the Post every Sunday and in the Style section every Monday through Saturday.

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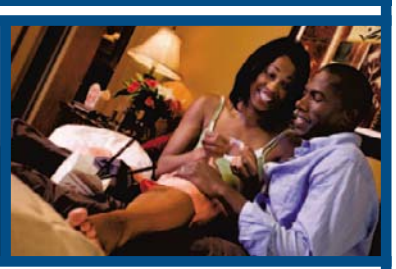

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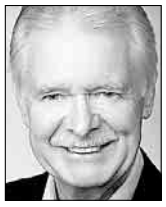
NAME: Peter Earnest
GIG: Executive Director of the International Spy Museum

"I LIE FOR A LIVING" seems too truthy a title for a book about, as the subtitle holds, "The Greatest Spies of All Time." Shouldn't it be called something misleading, like, "Watercolor Sketches" or "Naughty Nurse Nancy"? The International Spy Museum and National Geographic have gone for full disclosure with this handsome little volume, consisting of short, often highly amusing biographies of spies, spy writers, spymasters and spy catchers, from Christopher Marlowe to Mata Hari to Leon Theremin to James Jesus Angleton. Earnest, who wrote the foreward and helped wrangle "I Lie" into being, along with the book's writer and researcher Anthony Shugaar, talk about the covert art of authorship at the Spy Museum on Thursday.

How did you end up with a five-year-old boy's dream job?
Well, part of it was, I had a five-year-old boy's dream job much of my adult life. I was with CIA. My father was an American foreign service officer. I was born in a small village outside Edinburgh — the same one Sean Connery is from. Later, we settled in this area. I stayed with CIA for 35 years, in the clandestine service for about two-thirds of that.


Earnest

How did the book come to be?
It's a collaboration between ourselves and National Geographic. We had cooperated on a book before — "A Handbook of Practical Spying." It's sort of a tongue-in-cheek approach to a lot of the familiar practices in espionage, tradecraft and so forth. The idea was to pick up with this book. It's fairly straightforward; these are all real people, real biographies, but there's a little bit of humor in there.

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Who is your favorite of the characters? You mention in the introduction that the best spies aren't in the book, since they never got caught.
I think there's no question, if you're looking at spies, you're looking at how good they are. If you go back to [Francis] Walsingham, who advised Elizabeth I, here's a formidable spy. It's an amazing story; when he died, many of his secrets, much of his knowledge, went with him.

> "These are all real people ... but there's a little bit of humor thrown in there."

It seems very ecumenical.
We pick spies from different sides. And if you look at the table of contents, you notice we do sort of loosely categorize them, and that helps the readers say, "Oh, catching spies isn't the same as being one."

ARION BERGER (EXPRESS)

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STAGE | A journey propelled by eggbeaters is a strange one indeed.

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Eric Overmyer's play, produced by Arena Stage, focuses on three women who set out in 1888 on a journey through Terra Incognita. The voyage takes an unexpected turn forward in time when they discover oddities such as cream cheese and develop sudden curiosities about a man named Mr. Coffee.

The expedition consists of Alexandra (Susan Bennett), a word-obsessed champion of all things progressive; Mary (Laiona Michelle), a desert-loving academic; and Fanny (Molly Wright Stuart), a traditionalist whose sole comfort in the future is the National Review.

The nature of their voyage becomes clearer as they meet a series of male characters, all played by Tom Beckett, whose roles range from Yeti to lounge lizard.

Staged on a diagonal strip in the Fichandler Theater, Tazewell Thompson's production uses lighting and sound to replicate a jungle or polar ice cap. With such basic staging, the play becomes what it is at heart: a journey of the mind.

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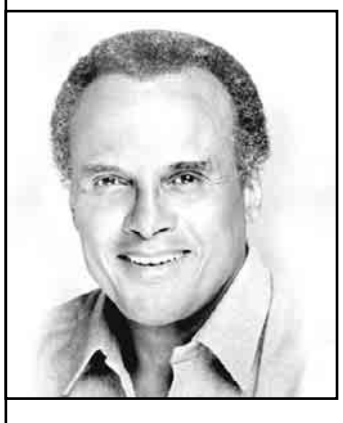

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STICKY SITUATION: Lambie prowls Eastern Market with Express' intrepid reporter, looking not for bargain tchotchkes but for inspiration for his Hirshhorn installation.

Bright Stripes

Artist Jim Lambie's on-site installations are a matter of mood

MUSEUMS | Jim Lambie has taken over the Hirshhorn Museum lobby with his Zobop.

Sprawling all over the room, infusing it with an electric energy, the Glasgow-based artist has covered the space with a rainbow of fluorescent vinyl tape — a style he has dubbed "Zobop." Concealing the lobby's old floor, made of a bureaucratic shade of brownish-gray aggregate rock, the yellow, red, white and silver stripes curve around the information desk and zoom up hallways, making it hard to resist running around, arms outstretched like airplane wings.

"There's a kind of vibrational quality to the art in the way he really enlivens space with energy," said Anne Ellegood, associate curator at the Hirshhorn, who invited Lambie to participate as part of the museum's Directions series. Along with three other artists, Lambie was nominated for the Tate Museum's 2005 Turner Prize.

Museum-goers have been able to see the work progress over the past week, as Lambie and a crew of assistants and volunteers have been working to finish the floor. Lambie said he has lost count of how many of the site-specific Zobops he's made, but estimates the number at about 30.

As for the name Zobop itself, he claims to have seen it sprayed on a wall in Glasgow and liked the musicality of the word. He likens it to doo-wop or be-bop.

The finished product, along with sculptures created on-site, will be on display Friday at a special Hirshhorn After Hours preview.

Lambie creates much of his work from second-hand items and will showcase several sculptures made from materials he found while shopping in the District. Items found at a U Street flea market and a Goodwill store in Arlington will be parts of the display.

One of Lambie's new pieces is of an oversized eyelash cut out of aluminum, painted black and covered with blue glitter. The eyelash will hang from the ceiling by old belts and rotate like a disco ball.

In addition, Lambie will display a painted ceramic bird as well as a sculpture that incorporates, in part, a Rorschach inkblot-style image constructed from the images of dead musicians like Kurt Cobain and Billie Holiday.

Much of Lambie's work is musically-influenced (he used to be in a band called The Boy Hairdressers). At the Friday's opening, he will take turns spinning music with DJ Neville Chamberlain, who owns Adam's Morgan's Crooked Beat Records. DAN MILLER

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The Nation's Country

Revival is helping to turn D.C. into the trad-music epicenter

MUSIC | Josh Read has a message for anyone who disparages the D.C. music scene: You must not be going to any shows.

Read's band, Revival, will be sharing the stage at the 9:30 Club Saturday with Shortstack, These United States and Brandon Butler for the launch party at the new Washington-based label, Gypsy Eyes Records.

"What we were doing when we were putting the show together was just really getting what we think some of the best music that's happening in D.C. right now," Read said. "If people want to be a part of it, they should really show up because without them showing up, we literally have nothing. Without people coming to shows, the whole scene disappears."

Washington, long known for its post-punk and hardcore scene, has turned into a psychedelic, alt-country, folk-rock and singer-songwriter town, Read said. It's become the place to hear good old American music.

"People still think of D.C. as Dischord [Records]," he said. "Dischord has been incredibly important in the D.C. music scene and in the national music scene, but none of that stuff's going on anymore really."

He should know. The 29-year-old musician has been living in Washington since 1982, when his family moved here from South Africa. Read has been in bands around town since he was 14.

Revival was formed from the ashes of another local act, Canyon, with three bandmates joining Read. Revival's lineup has fluctuated, but has now settled with Read and Evan Berodt. The duo will have a full band for their show on Saturday.

Revival's music falls in line with Read's view of the local scene.

"People think it's alt-country. They think it's stadium rock. All sorts of things." he said. "I think it's just rock." SCOTT ROSENBERG (EXPRESS)

LAURA HESLEY

A NEW WAY OF SEEING: After toiling in local bands for 15 years, Josh Read, left, struck gold with indie folk-rockers Revival.

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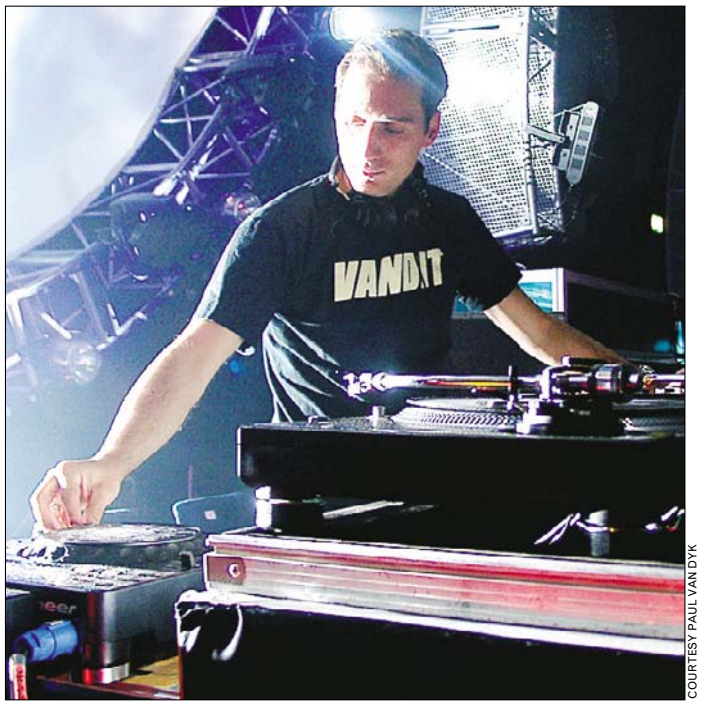

COURTESY PAUL VAN DYK

HIT THE DECKS: German DJ Paul Van Dyke has something to say, and it's not just, "Dance like a fiend to my mad mixes." He sees music as a vehicle for activism, and with every spin of the deck encourages his fans to speak out politically. He turns tables at Nation's dance party, Cubik, on Thursday.

The Real Classic Rock

Uli Jon Roth is no longer a Scorpion, but his guitar stings

MUSIC | American audiences know Uli Jon Roth best as the guitarist for hair-metal gods the Scorpions. But he has made a living as a respected neo-classical guitar virtuoso since striking out on his own. Now, Roth and his Sky Band, featuring Scorpions bassist Francis Buchholz, will be headlining Jaxx this Friday night.

"I'm very happy with the touring band I have assembled," said Roth. "It's great to be playing with Francis again after not playing together for over 25 years."

Roth and his band will be playing a two-hour set list consisting of songs spanning the guitarist's 30-plus-year career.

COURTESY ULI JON ROTH

Uli Jon Roth brings classical gas to the hair-metal he's most famous for.

That's quite a statement considering the diversity of Roth's catalogue. After all, he performed lead guitarist and principle songwriter duties for the Scorpions from 1973 to '78, then left to form his own group, Electric Sun. Roth has also written four symphonies and two electric-guitar concertos, recorded a version of Vivaldi's "The Four Seasons," and played on guitar-rock mega-tours. His playing, which draws as much from classical technique as it does from early guitar heroes like Jimi Hendrix, is often cited as a major influence by guitarists such as Eddie Van Halen and Yngwie Malmsteen.

But he's no standoffish rock star. "We plan to do an informal meet-and-greet after almost every show," said Roth. GREGORY RE

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Why the Long Face?

Metal cheers up in the able hands of Chicago's Pelican

MUSIC | Huzzah! The long search for happy metal has ended. Chicago quartet Pelican, who play Washington on Thursday, say no to dragons, dungeons, oppressive deities, spikes, corpse paint and the relentless minor-key angst of their riffy peers. Instead, they acknowledge metal's dirty little secret: It feels good.

"Because our music is lyricless we can't push a particular message," said guitarist Trevor de Brauw, whose band does not require the services of a vocalist. "But people we have kinship with are in despair about the state of the world and our country, politically, so we try to make music that's uplifting. It's important to expose the negativity of the way things are, but the left needs to realize it's important to maintain a positive outlook. To keep your head above the water."

So maybe "happy" is the wrong word. The band's Web site uses the word "triumphant." The way Pelican mixes muscular riffs with anthemic tonality creates blazing epiphanies, like the sun breaking through storm clouds.

Which, perhaps, is not very metal. "None of us conceived of ourselves as a metal band when we started," said de Brauw. "The metalheads were the first to latch onto what we're doing. They're into grandiosity and technical prowess."

De Brauw cites an album by Oakland tribal metallists Neurosis as providing the breakthrough. "I was listening to 'Through Silver in Blood.' It's this bleak album, but they use this one major chord like it was a revelation. Then Laurent" — Lebec, Pelican's other guitarist — "came in with a song in a major key one day and we all latched onto it." To be fair, Beethoven was doing the same thing back when Indians controlled the continent. But leading metal mags boggled. Optimism! And metal! Together!

"Time to spread some positivity in the metal scene," de Brauw joked. "People should eat some raw spinach. If people ate better, they wouldn't be so miserable." BOB MASSEY

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MEN OUT STANDING IN THEIR FIELD: Pelican feeds on the joys of making an instrumental racket without the pesky poetry.

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Spotlight on the Divas

The first ladies of jazz have musical chops and survival skills

MUSIC | While it's true that divas love attention, jazz singer and songwriter Abbey Lincoln is increasingly finding herself very alone in the spotlight.

When Lincoln reemerged with major-label backing a decade ago, she, along with Betty Carter and Shirley Horn, was among Verve Records' elite artists — legendary vocalists delivering some of their best works in their autumn years.

Since then, Carter and Horn have ascended to jazz heaven, leaving only Lincoln to carry Verve's veteran diva torch.

She will at least have some company this weekend. At the 11th annual Mary Lou Williams Women in Jazz Festival, the Kennedy Center stage will be bristling with other commanding female artists, including guitarist Mimi Fox, pianist Jessica Williams, trombonist Sarah Marrow, and singers Dee Bridgewater and Ernestine Anderson.

COURTESY KENNEDY CENTER

Jazz legend Abbey Lincoln has been through much and tells all about it.

Lincoln has never been shy about revealing her melancholy onstage and it'll surely surface at her performance. World-weary favorites such as "The World Is Falling Down" and "Down Here Below" will undoubtedly take on new emotional weight.

Lincoln is also renowned for her clinched-teeth optimism, which illuminates self-penned originals such as "Being Me," "People in Me" and the monumental "I Got Thunder." Those songs find her acknowledging tough times but pushing forward and defiantly celebrating life. JOHN MURPH

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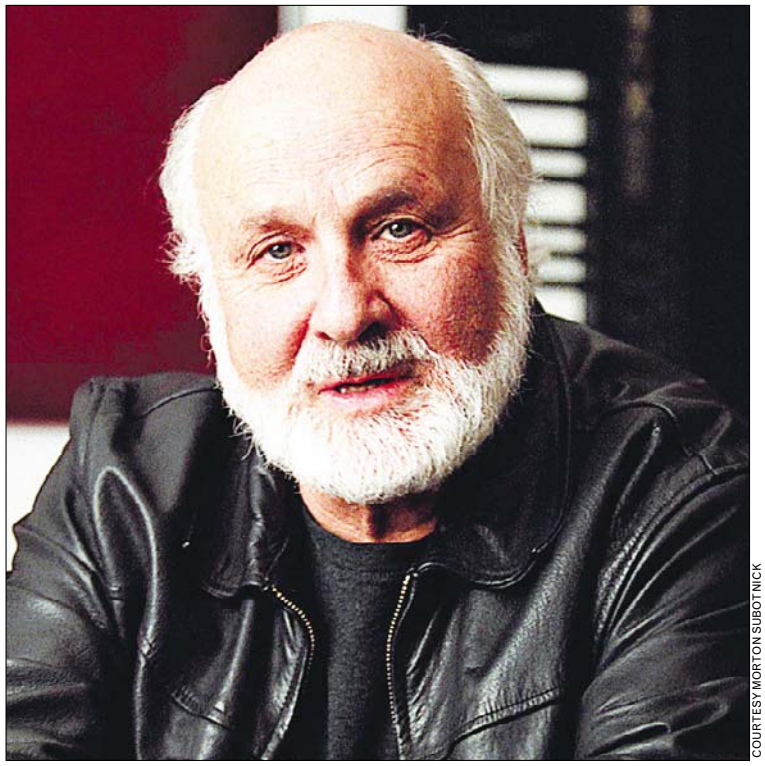
Synthesized Emotion

Morton Subotnick invented electronica; now he makes it feel

MUSIC | Morton Subotnick has influenced the likes of Miles Davis, Stereolab, Public Enemy, Philip Glass and Autechre. And you've probably never heard of him.

But in the 1950s, Subotnick was among the first musicians to compose using a synthesizer. That's when TV was one color and Elvis was skinny. And synths were big awkward machines sporting a thicket of patch cables. Now, for his Washington appearance, this bearded white guy in his 70s will be rocking not one but two laptops, plus live visuals and surround sound.

"I picked up some of the late-'50s technology and experimented with it," said the former professional clarinetist of his initial inspiration. "I was taken with the potential to sit in your studio and be the composer and performer at the same time. And to release records. I had to end up with Donald Buchla to create instrumentation because there wasn't anything around at that time."



COURTESY MORTON SUBOTNICK

SILVER APPLES; GOLDEN AGE: Beginning with a sound-synthesizer he commissioned, Subotnick has been composing non-instumental music for four decades.

At Subotnik's behest, Buchla designed a synthesizer that could be played by a musician (as did Robert Moog, independently, in the same year, on the other side of the country). In 1967, Subotnick used it to record "Silver Apples of the Moon" for Nonesuch Records. And lo, electronic music was born.

The record happened to coincide with the explosion of psychedelia, and acid-rockers ate it up. As did the classical avant-garde. The commissions, including one for the film "2001: A Space Odyssey," never stopped.

"Until Spring Revisited," which Subotnick will perform at the Library of Congress on Friday, is a live re-working of a 1976 piece for Columbia Records. "I'm taking what I did for my last analog record — what did we call those things? Vinyl," he joked. "I felt then that I captured what I was really after, but I couldn't do it in real time. There weren't enough resources on the synth." But technology finally caught up with Subotnick's vision.

Now Subotnick and two assistants work from laptops and a projector. There's no traditional score; his compositions are divided into "scenes," each with its own mood, like "grieving," "breathing" or "marching." Sampled sounds are manipulated and developed in real time. With surround sound, performances can get intense.

"There's a pulsing section," said Subotnick, "which goes everywhere from vocal loops to pretty raucous things that are flying all around the audience." It's an effect that was impossible 30 years ago. "We sure couldn't improvise with a razor blade and tape," he laughed.

BOB MASSEY

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Ice: Too Cool to Handle

Ice Cube's new album is a throwback to the heyday of gangsta rap

MUSIC | After a lengthy — not to mention profitable — stint as Hollywood's go-to guy for family-friendly urban entertainment, one of hip-hop's most infamous bad boys is up to his old tricks.

The mastermind behind the controversial lyrics of gangsta-rap pioneers NWA, Ice Cube follows the 2001 release of his greatest-hits album with "Laugh Now, Cry Later," set to come out on his independent label, Lench Mob Records, on June 6. Word on the street is that the Cube the Man once attempted to silence is back, and more peeved than ever.

Laced with strong social-political messages, "'Laugh Now, Cry Later' is the state of the world, the state of America, of urban America," said Cube on his Web site. Tracks like the first single, "Why We Thugs," which addresses the systematic oppression of those confined to America's ghettos, are proof.

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Former NWA member Ice Cube brings that old sentiment to "Laugh Now."

"It's just me getting things off my chest," he explains on his site. "It's funny how people who ain't never been down there can think that America is so fair and we should be alright."

Shattering pre-conceived notions at a 9:30 Club near you, Ice Cube sheds his blockbuster persona once again for his latest bout with the system. DARONA WILLIAMS (EXPRESS)

➜ *9:30 Club, 815 V St. NW; with Tha Dogg Pound, Clipse; Sun., 7:30 p.m., $35; 703-218-6500, 930.com. (U. St-Cardozo)*

DANCE | HARMONIC CONVERGENCE

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THE LENNON/MCCARTNEY VARIATIONS: Washington Ballet artistic director Septime Webre and choreographer Trey McIntyre bring the music of J.S. Bach and the Fab Four together for the innovative genre-hop "The Bach/Beatles Project." It's at the Kennedy Center through Sunday.

Colonial Memories

Richard E. Grant uses his early life as text for 'Wah-Wah'

NONFICTION | Richard E. Grant wears a watch on each wrist. One tells the time in London; the other is set to the time in Swaziland, the country of his birth.

The latter was a gift from Grant's late father, an official in the southern African country's last British colonial government. It closely resembles the timepiece received by Ralph (played by Nicholas Hoult), the hero of Grant's directorial debut, "Wah-Wah," from his similarly employed dad.

The scene is based on truth, Grant said — as is nearly everything in the film, a warm but unsentimental coming-of-age story set during the last days of the British Empire. The film does not give a romanticized view of Grant's family or their neighbors, a tiny colonial elite seeing the sun set on their empire in the days before Swaziland's 1968 independence.

In the course of the film, which opens on Friday, Ralph watches from the back seat of a car while his mother and her lover romp in the front, endures his parents' divorce and the icy disapproval of their neighbors, and sees his father sink into bouts of alcoholic despair that culminate in taking a shot at the boy with a pistol.

SAMUEL GOLDWYN FILMS

SETTING SUN: Ralph (Nicholas Hoult) witnesses the end of British rule in Swaziland.

All true, Grant says, and all events he has wanted to write about for a long time.

"It's been hovering in my head for years," said Grant, 49. "I started keeping a diary when I witnessed my mother's adultery in this car when I was 10, simply because it was such a poisonous secret and I couldn't tell anybody about it. I suppose writing about it was a way of being listened to."

"Wah-Wah" — the title refers to the drone of upper-class chitchat that drives one American character to distraction — is emotionally wrenching, but far from bleak. It has humor and absurdity as Ralph and the other expats stage an amateur production of "Camelot" to mark the arrival of Swazi independence.

"It would be very easy to mock them," Grant said of the characters, who are frequently snobbish, narrow-minded and racist. But he set out to give a fuller picture.

Grant said he hoped to convey the panic felt by people who saw "empire running out on them, and their livelihoods and the ridiculous social pecking order that we lived under. The sands of time were running out on them fast."

JILL LAWLESS (AP)

Take 10

THE WASHINGTON POST'S FILM CRITICS TACKLE THIS WEEK'S BOX-OFFICE TOP 10

1 Mission: Impossible III

Director J.J. Abrams keeps the action clicking along, and Tom Cruise is at his scowling/smiling best as he jumps, shoots and leaves. ANN HORNADAY

2 RV

Robin Williams peppers his screen time with trademark jokes (completely inappropriate for his character) in this family road-trip comedy.

DESSON THOMSON

3 An American Haunting

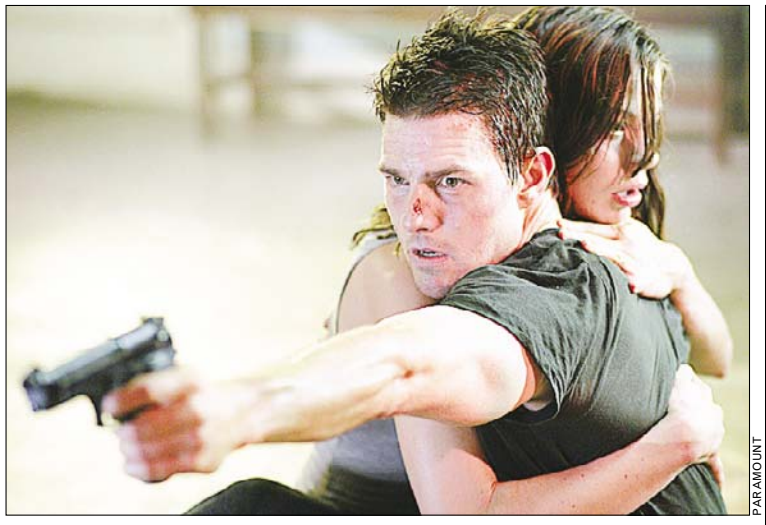
This movie about poltergeists and people screaming in 19th-century costumes wants to exude a scary B-movie ethos but fails. DESSON THOMSON

4 Stick It

Even suckers for cheesy, unrealistic redemption-via-athletic triumph movies will be disappointed by this gal gymnastics fable. STEPHEN HUNTER

5 United 93

Those who find meaning and catharsis by watching fetishistically accurate reenactments on the big screen will be well rewarded by Paul Greengrass' taut thriller. ANN HORNADAY



PARAMOUNT

COUCH-JUMPING EXCITEMENT: Tom Cruise aims for box-office domination.

6 Ice Age: The Meltdown

The animation in this sequel is first-rate, but the story of a chatty group of animals' adventure needs to catch up to the magic. STEPHEN HUNTER

7 Silent Hill

Fans of the video game will appreciate the cool monsterish creations, but the movie never tuns into compelling film drama. DESSON THOMSON

8 Scary Movie 4

This spoof bumbles all over the place, but it's funny enough to turn the hands on your watch surprisingly quickly.

STEPHEN HUNTER

9 (tie) Akeelah and the Bee

This funny, affecting spelling-bee tale pays homage to one young person's character and to her parents, teachers and guardian angels. ANN HORNADAY

9 (tie) Hoot

This family eco-film is warm and fuzzy, with its adorable owls and triumphant kids, but its forced, innocuous humor is unlikely to amuse anyone but the very young. DESSON THOMSON

Indies & Arties

'Army of Shadows'

Jean-Pierre Melville brought Joseph Kessel's difficult novel to the screen in 1969, in the process relating and cementing truths about the French Resistance. This hard-edged tragedy, starring noir luminaries Lino Ventura and Simone Signoret, was restored under the supervision of the film's cinematographer, Pierre Lhomme.

➜ *AFI Silver, 8633 Colesville Road, Silver Spring; opens Fri., 301-495-9500. (Silver Spring)*

'After School Diary'

Any kid expecting to have a lousy prom could take a tip from the three young leads in Hanung Bramantyo's film, part of the "Growing Up: Three Indonesian Directors" series, about high-school hierarchy, dancing and revenge. These school outcasts grab a camera to make a real-life drama about life in the cafeteria food chain.

➜ *Freer Gallery, 12th Street & Independence Avenue SW; 202-633-4880.*

'Just for Kicks'

Take your sneaks seriously? Then get them, and your feet, to Avenue for a screening of this secret history of the sports-shoe industry and iconic hip-hop accessory.

➜ *Avenue Nightclub, 649 New York Ave. NW; Sat., 6 p.m., free, 21 and over; avedc.com.*

RIALTO PICTURES

Simone Signoret co-starred with Lino Ventura in "Army of Shadows."

'Video Master: Nam June Paik'

The National Gallery pays tribute to Paik, who died earlier this year at age 74. Paik fused art and technology with his video and multimedia installations and digital storytelling. This retrospective features 1965's "Button Happening," "Cinéma Metaphysique: Nos. 2, 3 and 4 (1967–1972)," 1978's "You Can't Lick Stamps in China" and Jud Yalkut's documentary on the artist.

➜ *National Gallery of Art, 600 Constitution Ave. NW; Sat., 1 p.m., free; 202-842-6799.*

WeekendPass

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COURTESY KILL ROCK STARS

WE PROMISE TO CALL: Frustrated with online dating? Does Mecca Normal have the concept album for you. "The Observer" digs into the good, the bad and the ugly of 'Net-induced romance, pop-rock style. They'll complain about being asked to go Dutch at the Warehouse Next Door on Thursday.

The Scene

Sound

➜ THURSDAY

Apex: College Night with DJ Randy White, 9 p.m, $5, free with college ID.

Bangkok Blues: The Grandsons, 7:30 p.m., $7.

Birchmere: Glen Phillips, Willy Porter, 7:30 p.m., $19.50.

Black Cat: Pelican, Mono, The Life and Times, 8 p.m., $12.

Blues Alley: Maynard Ferguson and Big Bop Nouveau, 8 & 10 p.m., $30.

Crossroads: Live reggae happy hour, 5 p.m., free. Hip-hop & dancehall with DJs Zone One, Jason Steele and Majestic, 10 p.m., ladies free with pass from crossroadsclub.com, $15 before 11 p.m., $20 after.

DC9: Emergenza, 9 p.m., $10.

Five: Latin party, DJs Chris, Manny Fresh & Ty-One, 10 p.m., $5.

Iota: Timothy Bracken Complex, El Quatro, 9 p.m., $10.

Jammin' Java: The Rocket Summer, Paramore, 7:30 p.m., $12.

Kennedy Center: IAJE Sisters in Jazz Collegiate All-Stars, 6 p.m., free. 11th Annual Mary Lou Williams Women in Jazz Festival, 7 p.m., $30. National Symphony Orchestra, 7 p.m., $20-$79.

Love: DJs William & Analyze, 9 p.m., $20, free with pass from lovetheclub.com.

Nation: Paul Van Dyk, 9 p.m., $30.

9:30 Club: The Disco Biscuits, 8:30 p.m., $25.

Platinum: Reggae/Reggaeton, DJs Qic-Silver, Smokey Joe & José, free with pass from platinumclubdc.com, $15 after 11 p.m.

Strathmore: Baltimore Symphony Orchestra presents the "Jazz" of Matisse, 8 p.m., $43-$78.

Twins Jazz: Reggie Watkins, 8 p.m. & 10 p.m., $15.

Velvet Lounge: The Dustbowlers, Beta Project, 9 p.m., $10.

Warehouse Next Door: Mecca Normal. Cataract Camp, 8:30 p.m., $7.

Zanzibar: Big Daddy Kane, Rob Base, DJ Kid Capri, $25.

➜ FRIDAY

Apex: Rob Harris, 9 p.m., $8.

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Fri., May 12: PIANIST COMPETITION FINALS—2nd ROUND
Dawn Clement, Joan Hickey, Mayuko Katakura, Ayako Shirasaki, Pamela York compete. Winner announced tonight at the ticketed 7 p.m. Terrace Theater performance.

▲ Part of the *Homegrown: The Music of America* concert series, presented by The Library of Congress American Folklife Center
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IN THE TERRACE THEATER

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Local young musicians perform.

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Olympic-style competition.

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Wed., May 17: CELEBRATION OF COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY DANCE
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Sun., May 21: WNO DOMINGO-CAFRITZ YOUNG ARTISTS
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Mon., May 22: 2006 NSO YOUNG SOLOISTS WINNERS JINA KIM & JESSE WONG
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TheScene

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Asylum: The Sentiment, Ferona Vei, Supercade, 8 p.m.
Atlas Performing Arts Center: J's Jook Joint, 7:30 p.m. & 10 p.m., $20-$30.
Bangkok Blues: JP McDermott & Western Bop, 8:30 p.m., $8.
Birchmere: Jerry Douglas, 7:30 p.m., $35.
Black Cat: Pinback, Pleaseeasaur, 9:30 p.m, $15. DJ DK, 10 p.m., free (backstage).
Blues Alley: Maynard Ferguson and Big Bop Nouveau, 8 & 10 p.m., $30.
Capital City Records: Tru Skool open mic (hip-hop), 7 p.m., free.
Clarice Smith Center: Benito Gonzalez, 8 p.m., $7 (student), $30.
Club Amazon: Rare Essence, 10 p.m., $10, ladies free before 11 p.m.
Crossroads: Bobby's Music Machine, DJ Sprang International, The Aki Experience, Peter Humphries and the Oasis Band, 5 p.m., free before 7 p.m. $15 before 11 p.m., $20 after.
DAR Constitution Hall: Stephanie Mills, Jeffrey Osborne, Phil Perry, 8 p.m., $65.
DC9: Liberation Dance Party, 9:30 p.m., $5.
Five: Guest DJs (house), 9 p.m., $10.
Iota: Honor by August, Snoozebox, 9:30 p.m., $10.
Jammin Java: Ember Swift, Natalia Zukerman, 7 p.m., $10. Jumpin' Jupiter, Fire-Dean and the Secret Agents, 9:30 p.m., $10.
Jaxx: Uli Jon Roth & Francis Buchholz, The Lizards, 8 p.m., $25.
Kennedy Center: Mary Lou Williams Women in Jazz Pianist Competition Finalists, 6 p.m., free. 11th Annual Mary Lou Williams Women in Jazz Festival, 7 p.m., $30. National Symphony Orchestra, 8 p.m., $20-$79.
Love: DJs Harry Hotter, Analyze, 9 p.m., $20, free with pass from lovetheclub.com.
Nation: Cübik, 9 p.m., $10.
Platinum: DJ QicSilver (club mix), 9 p.m., free with pass from platinumclubdc.com, $10 before 11 p.m., $15 after.
Show Place Arena: Ying Yang Twins, BG, Remy Ma, 7 p.m., $47-$54.
Smithsonian Jazz Cafe: Anthony Wilson Group, 6 p.m., $10.
State Theatre: The Legwarmers ('80s dance party), 9 p.m., sold out.
Strathmore Music Center: China National Symphony Orchestra, 8 p.m., $55-$60.
Twins Jazz: Reggie Watkins, 9 & 11 p.m., $20.
Velvet Lounge: Cobbler, Run Silent Run Deep, Running With Scissors, 9 p.m., $10.
Zanzibar: DJ Andy Mix, 7 p.m. DJs Naem and Quicksilver, 7 p.m, free before 7 p.m., $10 before 10 p.m., $15 after.

➜ SATURDAY

Apex: Liquid Ladies, 9 p.m., $8.
Atlas Performing Arts Center: J's Jook Joint, 7:30 p.m. & 10 p.m., $20-$30.

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BENCHWARMERS (PG-13) DIG (1245 345) 645 910
ICE AGE 2: THE MELTDOWN (PG) DIG (1230 330) 635 900
INSIDE MAN (R) - ID REQ'D DIG 715
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HOOT (PG) DIG (1200 230 450) 720 945
AN AMERICAN HAUNTING (PG-13) DIG (500) 750 1010
UNITED 93 (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (130 445) 740 1030
STICK IT (PG-13) DIG (120 410) 745 1030
RV (PG) DIG (215 440) 710
AKEELAH AND THE BEE (PG) DIG (120 410) 710 950
THE SENTINEL (PG-13) DIG (100 400) 740 1020
SILENT HILL (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (115 415) 715 1015
THE WILD (G) DIG (1220 245)
SCARY MOVIE 4 (PG-13) DIG (1210 220 430) 645 920
ICE AGE 2: THE MELTDOWN (PG) DIG (1200 220 440) 700
INSIDE MAN (R) - ID REQ'D DIG 1015
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HOOT (PG) DIG (1230 330) 720 940
MISSION IMPOSSIBLE 3 (PG-13) DIG ★ (1240 110 140 350 420 450) 700 800 1010
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UNITED 93 (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (110 400) 730 1020
STICK IT (PG-13) DIG (120 440) 740 1020
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AKEELAH AND THE BEE (PG) DIG (100 410) 710 1000
THE SENTINEL (PG-13) DIG (1245 400) 700 950
SILENT HILL (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1230 350) 720 1010
SCARY MOVIE 4 (PG-13) DIG (200 515) 750 1030
ICE AGE 2: THE MELTDOWN (PG) DIG (130 430) 710 950
INSIDE MAN (R) - ID REQ'D DIG 645 940
THE WILD (G) DIG (145 420)
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THE WILD (G) DIG (1250)
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STICK IT (PG13) 2:05, 4:35, 7:15, 9:45
UNITED 93 (R) 2:20, 5:10, 7:50, 10:40
UNITED 93 (R) [DV] [CC] 2:20, 5:10, 7:50, 10:40
AMERICAN DREAMZ (PG13) 7:05, 10:00
THE SENTINEL (PG13) 2:25, 5:00, 7:40, 10:25
SILENT HILL (R) 1:55, 4:40, 6:45, 7:30, 9:50, 10:30
SCARY MOVIE 4 (PG13) 12:00, 2:30, 5:05, 7:35, 10:15
THE WILD (G) 12:05, 2:15, 4:25
THE BENCHWARMERS (PG13) 2:10, 4:30
LUCKY NUMBER SLEVIN (R) 12:20, 2:55, 5:45, 8:20, 10:55
TAKE THE LEAD (PG13) 1:10, 4:15, 7:30, 10:20
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INSIDE MAN (R) 1:15, 4:10, 7:05, 10:05

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UNITED 93 (R) 1:30, 4:30, 8:30
UNITED 93 (R) [DV] [CC] 1:30, 4:30, 8:30
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ICE AGE: THE MELTDOWN (PG) [DV] [CC] 4:30, 7:30

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HOOT (PG) ✓ 2:15, 4:30, 7:15, 9:40
THE SENTINEL (PG13) 2:45, 5:20, 7:55, 10:30
SCARY MOVIE 4 (PG13) 7:30, 10:10
LUCKY NUMBER SLEVIN (R) 9:55 PM
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INSIDE MAN (R) 2:10, 5:05, 8:10

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POSEIDON (PG13) ✓ 10:00 PM
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RV (PG) 2:50, 5:15, 7:40, 10:15
UNITED 93 (R) 1:45, 4:30, 7:20, 10:05
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THE SENTINEL (PG13) 1:35, 4:10, 6:50, 9:35
SILENT HILL (R) 1:40, 4:35, 7:30, 10:25
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INSIDE MAN (R) 1:00, 3:45, 6:45, 9:50

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FRIENDS WITH MONEY (R) 1:15, 3:30, 5:50, 8:15, 10:35
THANK YOU FOR SMOKING (R) 3:00, 5:20, 7:45, 10:10

LOEWS WISCONSIN AVE. 6
4000 Wisconsin Avenue, N.W.
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AN AMERICAN HAUNTING (PG13) 2:20, 4:40, 7:20
RV (PG) 2:10, 4:35, 7:10
STICK IT (PG13) 1:50, 4:25, 7:05
UNITED 93 (R) 1:40, 4:20, 7:00
THE WILD (G) 1:55, 4:10, 6:50
FAILURE TO LAUNCH (PG13) 2:00, 4:30, 7:15

LOEWS WHITE FLINT 5
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UNITED 93 (R) 3:00, 7:05, 9:35
AMERICAN DREAMZ (PG13) 2:00, 4:30, 7:00, 9:40
THE SENTINEL (PG13) 2:05, 4:35, 7:15, 9:50

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AKEELAH AND THE BEE (PG) 2:10, 4:40, 7:30, 10:05

AMC POTOMAC MILLS 18
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HOOT (PG) ✓ 2:00, 4:40, 7:20, 9:35
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RV (PG) 1:40, 2:10, 4:15, 4:35, 6:45, 7:15, 9:05, 9:35
STICK IT (PG13) 2:05, 4:50, 7:25, 10:00
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UNITED 93 (R) [DV] [CC] 2:15, 4:25, 7:05, 9:40
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SILENT HILL (R) 1:20, 1:55, 4:10, 5:10, 7:05, 8:00, 9:55
SCARY MOVIE 4 (PG13) 1:15, 3:30, 5:35, 7:40, 9:45
THE WILD (G) 2:30, 4:55, 7:15, 9:25
THE BENCHWARMERS (PG13) 2:25, 5:05, 7:20, 9:30
ICE AGE: THE MELTDOWN (PG) 2:20, 5:00, 7:35
INSIDE MAN (R) 1:10, 4:05, 7:00, 9:55

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AN AMERICAN HAUNTING (PG13) 5:45, 8:30
MISSION: IMPOSSIBLE III (PG13) ✓ 4:45, 5:15, 7:45, 8:15
RV (PG) 5:30, 8:10
UNITED 93 (R) 5:20, 8:20
THE SENTINEL (PG13) 5:00, 7:30
SILENT HILL (R) 5:10, 8:10
SCARY MOVIE 4 (PG13) 5:40, 7:50
THE WILD (G) 4:30, 7:00
PHAT GIRLZ (PG13) 4:50, 7:20
ICE AGE: THE MELTDOWN (PG) 4:40, 7:10

AMC SELECT
AKEELAH AND THE BEE (PG) 5:15, 8:00

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HOOT (PG) ✓ 2:00, 5:00, 7:30
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RV (PG) [DV] [CC] 2:25, 5:50, 8:15
STICK IT (PG13) 2:15, 4:45, 7:15
UNITED 93 (R) ✓ 2:40, 5:10, 7:50
THE SENTINEL (PG13) 2:20, 4:50, 7:45
SILENT HILL (R) 2:30, 5:25, 8:10
SCARY MOVIE 4 (PG13) 2:45, 5:20, 7:35

AMC SELECT
AKEELAH AND THE BEE (PG) 2:10, 4:40, 7:10

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UNITED 93 (R) 4:20, 7:00, 9:30
SILENT HILL (R) 4:30, 7:20, 10:00
SCARY MOVIE 4 (PG13) 5:00, 7:50, 10:00

MAGIC JOHNSON CAPITAL CENTRE 12
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UNITED 93 (R) 2:10, 4:40, 7:40, 10:40
THE SENTINEL (PG13) 1:55, 4:55, 7:25, 9:55
SILENT HILL (R) 2:25, 5:15, 8:10, 10:55
SCARY MOVIE 4 (PG13) 1:00, 3:00, 5:10, 7:10, 9:40
SCARY MOVIE 4 (PG13) [CC] 1:00, 3:00, 5:10, 7:10, 9:40
THE WILD (G) 2:35, 5:00
PHAT GIRLZ (PG13) 2:50, 5:20, 7:50, 10:20
INSIDE MAN (R) 7:00

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AMERICAN DREAMZ (PG13) 1:10, 3:40, 7:40, 10:00

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THE PROMISE (PG13) 2:00, 4:20, 7:30, 9:50
FRIENDS WITH MONEY (R) 1:30, 3:30, 7:20, 9:40
HARD CANDY (R) 1:20, 4:50, 7:20, 9:50
THE DEVIL AND DANIEL JOHNSTON (PG13) 1:00, 4:40, 7:00, 9:20
MARILYN HOTCHKISS' BALLROOM DANCING & CHARM SCHOOL (PG13) 1:40, 4:10, 7:10, 9:30
THANK YOU FOR SMOKING (R) 1:50, 4:30, 7:00, 9:00

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CAPOTE (R) 4:40, 9:45

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WATER (PG13) 1:30, 2:00, 4:20, 5:00, 7:00, 7:40, 9:30, 10:20
KINKY BOOTS (PG13) 1:40, 4:30, 7:10, 9:40
MARILYN HOTCHKISS' BALLROOM DANCING & CHARM SCHOOL (PG13) 2:10, 7:20
L'ENFANT (R) 2:30, 5:00, 7:40, 9:50

AMC TYSONS CORNER 16
7850 Tysons Corner Center
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POSEIDON (PG13) ✓ 10:00 PM
HOOT (PG) ✓ 12:05, 2:20, 4:40, 7:00, 9:10
MISSION: IMPOSSIBLE III (PG13) ✓ 12:15, 1:00, 1:45, 2:30, 3:15, 4:00, 4:45, 5:30, 6:15, 7:00, 7:45, 8:30, 9:15, 9:55, 10:35
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RV (PG) [DV] [CC] 12:10, 2:35, 5:00, 7:35, 10:00
STICK IT (PG13) 12:05, 2:45, 5:15, 7:50, 10:25
UNITED 93 (R) 1:35, 4:25, 7:15, 10:05
THE SENTINEL (PG13) 12:25, 1:40, 3:00, 4:05, 5:25, 6:45, 8:00, 9:20, 10:30
SILENT HILL (R) 1:15, 4:20, 7:10, 10:10
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ICE AGE: THE MELTDOWN (PG) 12:35, 2:50, 5:05, 7:20
INSIDE MAN (R) 1:30, 4:30, 7:25, 10:20

AMC SELECT
AKEELAH AND THE BEE (PG) 12:00, 2:40, 5:20, 7:55, 10:30
THANK YOU FOR SMOKING (R) 12:30, 2:55, 5:10, 7:30, 9:45

AMC COLUMBIA MALL 14
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HOOT (PG) ✓ 12:00, 2:20, 4:40, 7:00
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SILENT HILL (R) 1:25, 4:20, 7:20, 10:10
SCARY MOVIE 4 (PG13) 1:00, 3:20, 5:30, 7:40, 9:50
THE WILD (G) 2:50, 7:25
THE BENCHWARMERS (PG13) 12:35, 5:15, 9:40
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AKEELAH AND THE BEE (PG) 2:00, 4:50, 7:35, 10:20
THANK YOU FOR SMOKING (R) 1:50, 4:30, 7:10, 9:35

AMC COURTHOUSE PLAZA 8
Courthouse and Birch Rd.
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POSEIDON (PG13) 10:00 PM
AN AMERICAN HAUNTING (PG13) ✓ 2:30, 5:00, 7:15, 9:30
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AMERICAN DREAMZ (PG13) 2:45, 5:10, 7:40, 10:10
THE SENTINEL (PG13) 2:15, 4:50, 7:20, 9:50
SILENT HILL (R) 2:00, 4:45, 7:30, 10:15
INSIDE MAN (R) 3:30, 7:00

AMC SELECT
KINKY BOOTS (PG13) 2:10, 4:30, 7:10, 9:40
LA MUJER DE MI HERMANO (R) 3:00, 5:15, 7:35, 9:55

LOEWS WHEATON PLAZA 11
Viers Mill Rd. Btwn. Georgia & University
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AN AMERICAN HAUNTING (PG13) ✓ 1:30, 4:50, 7:20, 10:20
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AMERICAN DREAMZ (PG13) 7:00
THE WILD (G) 2:15, 4:30
THE BENCHWARMERS (PG13) 2:00, 4:40, 7:10, 10:00
TAKE THE LEAD (PG13) 1:15, 4:15, 7:15, 10:30
FAILURE TO LAUNCH (PG13) 2:10, 4:20, 7:05, 9:50

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FRIENDS WITH MONEY (R) 2:30, 5:00, 7:30, 10:15

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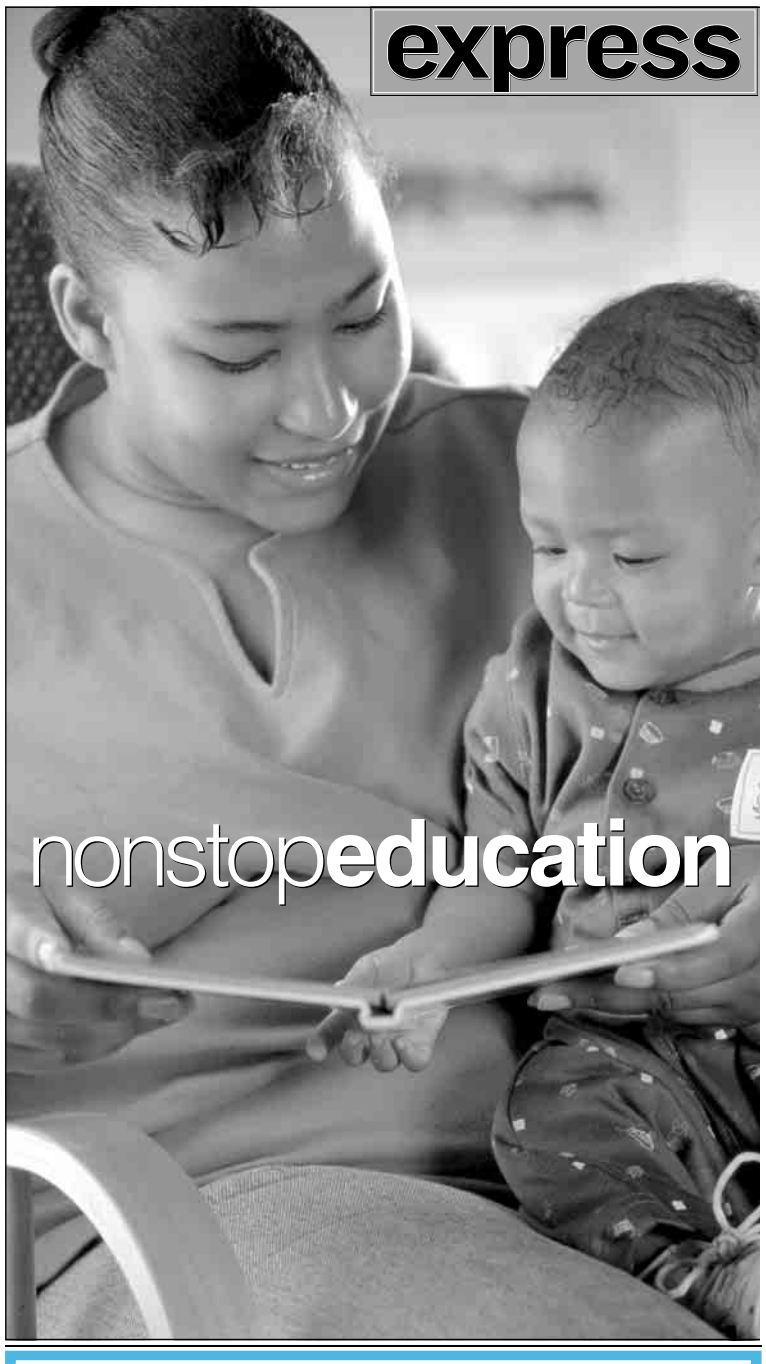

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Blues Alley: Maynard Ferguson and Big Bop Nouveau, 8 & 10 p.m., sold out.
Center for the Arts, GMU: Fairfax Symphony Orchestra, 8 p.m., $35-$60.
Chick Hall's Surf Club: Billy Hancock, Darl Davis, Matha Hull, more, 9 p.m., $20.
Clarice Smith Center: Prince George's Philharmonic, 8 p.m., $26.
Club Amazon: The L!ssen Band, 10 p.m., ladies free before 11 p.m., $10 after.
Crossroads: Stone Love, DJs Super Slice, Zone 1, Celo and Bobby's Music Machine, (reggae, hip-hop), 10 p.m., ladies free with pass from crossroadsclub.com, $15 before 11 p.m., $20 after.
DAR Constitution Hall: Ana Gabriel, 8 p.m., $50-$70.
DC9: Emergenza, 9 p.m., $10.
Five: Guest DJs, 9 p.m., $10.
Galaxy Hut: The Fake Accents, Grinner, 9:45 p.m., $5.
Iota: Shane Hines and The Trance, Bain Mattox, 9:30 p.m., $10.
Jammin' Java: Milkshake, 10:30 a.m. & 12:30 p.m. Mamapalooza 2006, 3 p.m., $10. Face the Fish, 8:30 p.m., $10.
Jaxx: Hallows Eve, Havochate, Eden Burns and more, 4:15 p.m., $10.
Kennedy Center: NSO Kinderkonzerts: Imagine This!, 11 a.m. & 1 p.m., $15. IAJE Sisters in Jazz Collegiate All-Stars 6 p.m., free. 11th Annual Mary Lou Williams Women in Jazz Festival, 7 p.m., $30. National Symphony Orchestra, 8 p.m., $20-$79.
Love: DJs William, Money (international, hip-hop) and DJs Twinspin, Chizzau, Rich Ang and Jae K (Asian night), 9 p.m., $20.
Nation: Alleged Bricks, Supreme Commander, VPR, more, 3 p.m. Velvet, 10 p.m., $8.
9:30 Club: Shortstack, Revival, Brandon Butler, These United States 6:30 p.m., $10. DJ Sounds, Bob Mould, Richard Morel, 11:30 p.m., $10.
Nissan Pavilion: WMZQfest, Gretchen Wilson and more, 11 a.m., $20-$44.50.
Platinum: Guest DJs, (R&B, hip-hop and reggae), 9 p.m., free with pass from platinumclubdc.com, $15 after 11 p.m.
Show Place Arena: Patti Labelle, Freddie Jackson, 8 p.m., $50-$75.
State Theatre: The Legwarmers ('80s dance party), 9 p.m., sold out.
Strathmore Music Center: National Philharmonic, Mozart's Don Giovanni, 8 p.m., $25-$80.
Twins Jazz: Reggie Watkins, 9 & 11 p.m., $20.
U-Turn: Thick as Thieves, Clockwork Bully, Babies With Rabies, more, 7:30 p.m., $8.
Velvet Lounge: The Points, Capulets, Red Right Return, 9 p.m., $10.
Warehouse Next Door: Say Hi To Your Mom, Old Time Relijun, Person, 9 p.m., $7.
Zanzibar: Jadakiss, d-bLOC, 10 p.m., $25. DJs Spyda and Sprang International, 9 p.m., free before 10 p.m., $10 after.

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Asylum: Doc Night, the Hipnotix, 8 p.m. $7.
Bangkok Blues: The U-Liners, The Dyversity Band, 7 p.m., $8.
Birchmere: Kathy Mattea, 7:30 p.m., sold out.
Black Cat: Michael Showalter, Eugene Mirman, Leo Allen, 8:30 p.m., $10.
Blues Alley: Maynard Ferguson and Big Bop Nouveau, 8 & 10 p.m., $30.
Clarice Smith Center: Pejvak Ensemble, 7:30 p.m., $30-$40.

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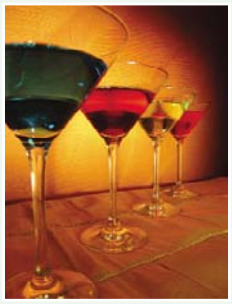

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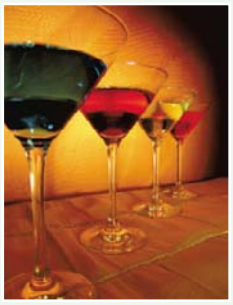

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YOUR MOM!

Some Options for Brunch With Your Old Lady

Mother's Day is fast approaching, and there are many places where one can treat Mom to brunch or dinner this Sunday. Here are some of our favorites.

While **1789** isn't advertising its five-course spring asparagus tasting menu as a Mother's Day treat, it may be just perfect for that very particular Mother who likes tradition paired up with innovative variations. It's priced at $65 a person (or $100 with wine pairings), excluding tax and gratuity. Express got to sample the asparagus-themed feast, which showed off the restaurant's new executive chef, Nathan Beauchamp, nominated by the Restaurant Association of Metropolitan Washington for rising culinary star of the year. Our two favorites were the traditional veal Oscar (with crispy sweetbreads, crab and asparagus ragout with Madeira) and the Constant Bliss souffle with wild asparagus and brioche.

If you're aiming for a more traditional Mother's Day brunch, perhaps add some Mexican accents to plain-old French toast. At **ROSA MEXICANO**, almond-crusted brioche will be served with mixed berries, citrus crème fraiche and orange-piloncillo syrup, among other offerings. Executive Chef James Muir is also hosting a pre-Mother's Day cooking demonstration and luncheon on Saturday featuring a pineapple-mint fruit drink, a tortilla casserole with salsa verde and a pistachio shortcake.

If Mom likes Potomac River views and Asian-accented food, **AULIE BUNYARATAPHAN** is putting on a giant spread for brunch from noon to 4 p.m. on Sunday. Expect a variety of flavored mimosas, crispy lobster rolls with sweet carrot sauce and carrot confit, jumbo soft-shell crab tempura with chili-garlic-basil sauce and honey-ginger ice cream with banana spring rolls and more.

For something a little more casual, **MIDDLE EASTERN CUISINE AND MARKET** in Takoma Park will have a champagne brunch from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sunday, featuring breakfast, fruits, prime rib, veggie kebobs and desserts. There are a lot of other options out there as well, of course. Just remember to treat Mom right.

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➜ *1789, 1226 36th St. NW; 202-965-1789.*

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➜ *Bangkok Joe's, 3000 K St., NW; 202-333-4422.*

➜ *Middle Eastern Cuisine and Market, 7006 Carroll Ave., Takoma Park; 301-270-5154. (Takoma)*

COURTESY JALEO

HONOR THY MUSHROOM: This month, local tapas chain Jaleo repeatedly invites Washingtonians to try their 'shrooms — just like that sketchy guy in middle school (except Jaleo expects a tip). But seriously, this is another fine option for Mother's Day.

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May Is Mushroom Month: Celebrate Fungi Jaleo-Style

If you love mushrooms, keep an eye on **JALEO** for the rest of the month. The tapas chain will host mushroom expert Llorenç Petras (of Barcelona's Fruits del Bosc) for the rest of the month, helping Jaleo celebrate fungi. On May 18, Petras will be at the FreshFarm Market in Penn Quarter, and on May 22, 23 and 25 he'll be at wine dinners at Jaleo's locations in Bethesda, Crystal City and downtown. The dinners are priced at $75 per person, excluding tax and gratuity. If you can't make those dinners, expect to see more mushroom specials at Jaleo this month, like mushroom paella, monkfish with garlic and hen of the woods mushrooms, leek confit with morels and creamy rice with black trumpet and porcini mushrooms with Idiazabal cheese. (MG)

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Jammin Java: Unknown Hinson, Fun Junkies, R. Bruce, 8 p.m., $10.

9:30 Club: Ice Cube, Tha Dogg Pound, Clipse, 7:30 p.m., $35.

Patriot Center: Rock Stars Live, 8 p.m., $35-$250.

Platinum: DJs Alize, Trini & Superslice-Muzik Nashun, free with pass from platinumclubdc.com, $15 after 11 p.m.

Show Place Arena: Marques Houston, Omarion, 5 p.m., $25-$60.

Strathmore: Mother's Day Buffet Brunch with live music, 10 a.m., $35.

Twins Jazz: Ivory Lee, 4 p.m. Jam session with the Ron Gary Trio, 8 p.m., $15.

Warehouse Next Door: Year Future, With Love, The Picture Is Dead, 8:30 p.m., $7.

Sight

American Art Museum: "Grant Wood's Studio: Birthplace of American Gothic," 160 works, including the highly recognizable painting, through June 11. 1661 Pennsylvania Ave. NW; 202-633-1000.

Anne Loeb Bronfman Gallery: "Different Nights: Interpretations of the Seder" by contemporary artists, through June 18. 16th and Q streets NW; 202-518-9400.

Arise Gallery: "The Dragon and the Phoenix: Chinese Influences on Japanese Kimono," through May 31. Mandarin Oriental, 1330 Maryland Ave. SW; 202-554-8588.

Conner Contemporary: Avish Khebrehzadeh's video animation depicts never-ending swimmers, and her paintings of humans and animals pose questions as to the nature of man, through June 17. 1730 Connecticut Ave. NW; 202-588-8750.

Corcoran Gallery of Art: David Seymour's rare color photos and his post-World War II images. A full-scale survey of Robert Bechtle's neo-realist paintings, both through June 4. Contemporary (Re)defined, the museum's largest contemporary exhibit, through Aug. 13. 500 17th St. NW; 202-639-1700.

Cultural Institute of Mexico: "Miguel Covarrubias, Genius of Mexico in the United States," the renaissance man's groundbreaking caricatures, through July 7. 2829 16th St. NW; 202-728-1628.

DAR Museum: "Obsolete, Odd and Absolutely Ooky Stuff" from the DAR Museum Vaults, through Sept. 2. 1176 D. St. NW; 202-879-3241.

DC Arts Center: "Don't Bring No Bad News!" features photos by local black artists who seek to recast Washington African-Americans in a positive and uplifiting light, through May 21. 2438 18th St. NW; 202-462-7833, dcartscenter.org.

District Arts Center: Runway model turned artist Maria-Lana Queen used abstract paintings to help her cope with the tragic death of her brother, through May 26. 1726 Wisconsin Ave. NW; 202-328-9100.

Ellipse Arts Center: "From the Junkyard to the Frontyard," various artists use trash and "junk" to create classy pieces of art, through June 24. 4350 North Fairfax Drive, Arlington; 703-228-7710.

Flashpoint: "Micro Monumental," a Washington Sculptors Group exhibit of miniature sculptures, through May 27. 916 G St. NW; 202-315-1310.

LAST CHANCE Folger Shakespeare Library: Shakespeare for children over the centuries, through May 13. 201 East Capitol St. SE; 202-544-4600.

Fraser Gallery Bethesda: "Compelled by Content II," glass sculptures that tell stories push the genre beyond crafts and into the fine arts, through June 4. 7700 Wisconsin Ave., Bethesda; 301-718-9651.

LAST CHANCE Freer Gallery of Art/ Arthur M. Sackler Gallery: "Hokusai," 180 paintings, prints, drawings and books by the Japanese artist, through May 14. "100 Years of the Book of Tea," through May 29. "Artists of Edo," 19th-century paintings and prints, through May 29. "History of History," photos of seascapes, dioramas, wax figures and other artifacts, through July 30. "Beyond Brushwork: Symbolism in Chinese Painting," through Nov. 26. Jefferson Drive & 12th Street SW; 202-633-4880.

Gallery 10: "Secrets," artists depict the nature and implications of secrets as part of an exchange with Group A of the Pittsburgh Center for Arts, through May 20. 1519 Connecticut Ave. NW; 202-232-3326.

Gallery Plan B: "On the Verge," Carl Ant's paintings offer social commentary and are rife with sarcasm, through May 21. 1530 14th St. NW; 202-234-2711.

Gateway/Heliport Gallery: "Out of Your Frame," works by artists living with mental illness, through June 5. 8001 Kennett St., Suite 3, Silver Spring; 301-562-1400.

The Graham Collection: Nicholas F. Shi's paintings are a combination of traditionally bright Latin American works with the moving simplicity of Chinese art, through May 28. 3518 12 St. NE; 202-832-9292.

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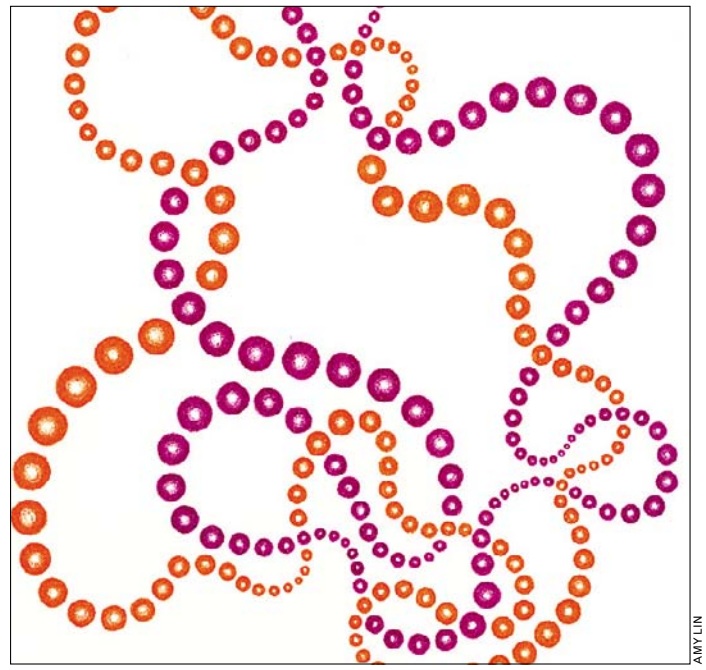

AMY LIN

SEEING SPOTS: The glowing, hand-drawn dots of local artist Amy Lin's "Affinity" series, now on display at Rachel Schlesinger Concert Hall, evoke everything from DNA to precious jewels, pointillism and bubbles.

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ings, opening reception Sat., 6 p.m., through June 16. 12001 Market St., Suite 103, Reston; 703-471-9242.

Hemphill Fine Arts: Steven Cushner's paintings and works on paper, through June 17. "Always Find a Way," John Watson's new installation, is a cross between our childhood treehouse and a beach homes on stilts, through June 17. 1515 14th St. NW; 202-234-5601.

LAST CHANCE Hirshhorn Museum: Hiroshi Sugimoto, the photographer's first career survey, through May 14. Film clips portray artist Oliver Herring using diverse performers and everyday objects in performance-art pieces, through July 2. "Directions," Jim Lambie uses vinyl tape to transform the museum's lobby into one giant, colorful painting, Sat. through Oct. 2. 7th Street & Independence Avenue SW; 202-633-1000.

Irvine Contemporary: "Selections and Celebrations," highlights from the gallery usher in its re-opening at 1412 14th St. NW. "Summertime," Ju-Yeon Kim's delicate paintings and works on paper, opening reception for both Fri., 6 p.m., through June 10. 1710 Connecticut Ave. NW; 202-332-8767.

The Jerusalem Fund Gallery: "Tarab: The Colors of Music," Arab artists offer their take on the term, which refers to the intensity of emotion one feels when experiencing music, opening reception Fri., 6:30 p.m., through June 23. 2425 Virginia Ave. NW; 202-338-1958.

Library of Congress: "American Treasures," photos and artifacts of the historic Willard Hotel, through June 17. 101 Independence Ave. SE; 202-707-5000.

Kathleen Ewing Gallery: "Frank DiPerna — In the Studio," through May 27. 1609 Connecticut Ave. NW; 202-328-0955.

Metropolitan Center for the Arts: "Place and Time," paintings by Michael Sastre, Stan Wenocour and Mary Ott, through May 20. 9300 Gaither Road, Gaithersburg; 301-869-8623.

Multiple Exposures: "The Many Moods of White Sands," photographer Alan Sislen's work brings life to otherwise barren deserts. Grace Taylor's photos of her Tibetan travels, both through June 4. 105 N. Union St., Alexandria; 703-638-2205.

National Archives: "The Way We Worked," photos and artifacts honoring working Americans, through May 29. Constitution Ave. & 9th St. NW; 202-501-5000.

National Building Museum: "Jewish Washington: Scrapbook of an American Community," through July 4. "New Orleans — A Shared Space," Dutch and American architectural firms reveal designs for the rebuilding of New Orleans, through July 30. "Cityscapes Revealed," highlights from the permanent collection, ongoing. 401 F St. NW; 202-272-2448.

LAST CHANCE National Gallery of Art: "Dada," a retrospective of the early 20th-century movement, through May 14.

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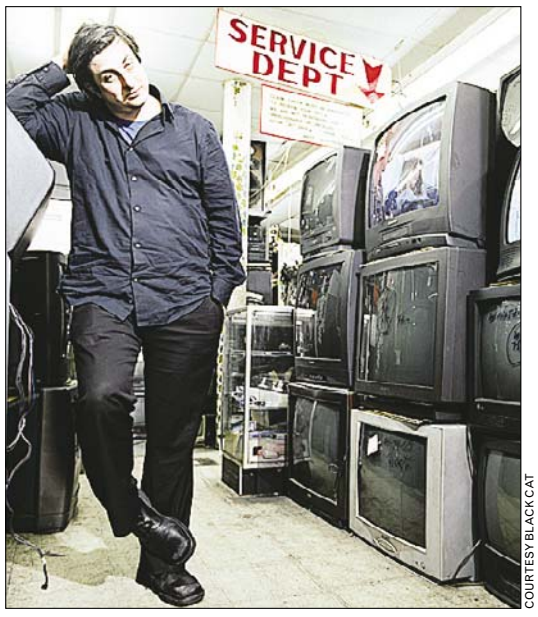

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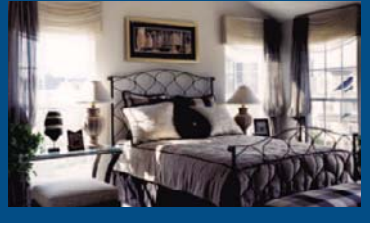

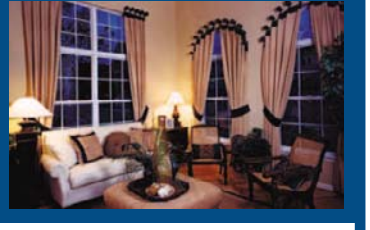

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LAST CHANCE National Geographic Society: "Mongolia: Traditions Reborn," pieces from Buddhist Tsam ceremonies, through May 14. "Archipelago," photos of animal life in Hawaii, through May 29. The only known surviving pages of the Gospel of Judas, through July 9. "Castles and Crusades: A View in Miniature," a glimpse into the bustling life of the Crusades period, Fri. through Sept 4. 17th & M streets NW; 202-857-7588.

National Library of Medicine: "Visible Proofs: Forensic Views of the Body," ongoing. 8600 Rockville Pike, Bethesda; 301-496-6308.

National Museum of African Art: "BIG/small," diverse historical pieces show the importance of size and scale in African art, through July 9. 950 Independence Ave. SW; 202-633-1000.

National Museum of American History: "¡Azucar! The Life and Music of Celia Cruz," chronicles the life of the Queen of Salsa with photos, costumes and more, through May 29. "Honky-Tonk," Henry Horenstein's photos of country musicians, through Sept. 5, other exhibitions ongoing. 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW; 202-633-1000.

National Museum of Natural History: "Lewis and Clark: The National Bicentennial," artifacts and other objects depict the encounters the two explorers had during their journey through America, Fri. through Sept. 11. "Frost: Life and Culture of the Sami People of Norway," through June 25. 10th Street & Constitution Avenue; 202-633-1000.

National Museum of Women in the Arts: "Divine and Human: Women in Ancient Mexico and Peru," artifacts that reflect women's lives in Mesoamerica, through May 28. "Vistas and Visions," landscape paintings from the museum's permanent collection, through July

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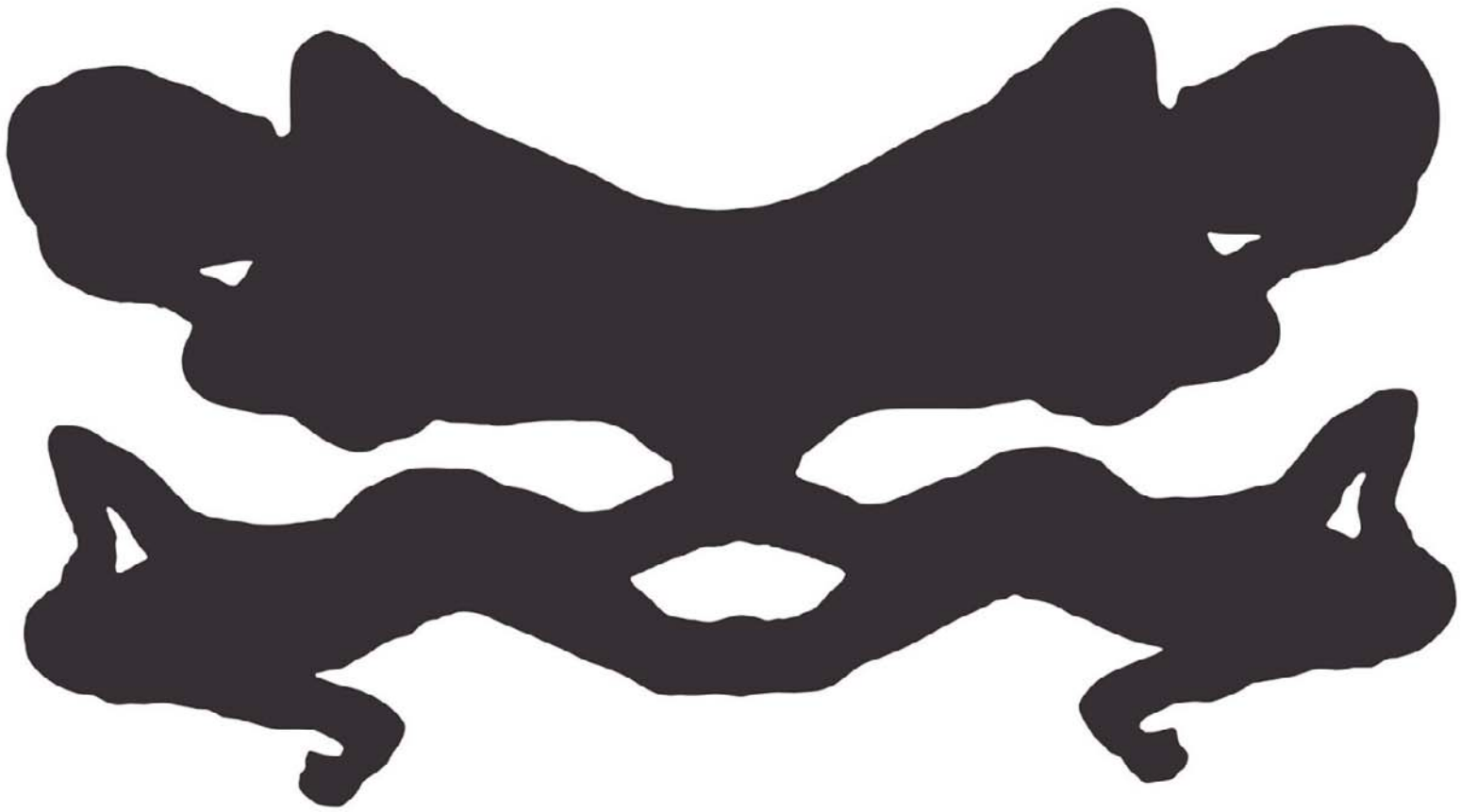

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Numark Gallery: "Adam Ross — Recent Work," fragmented cityscapes as shiny as they are dystopic, through May 27. 625-27 E St. NW; 202-628-3810, numarkgallery.com.

Parish Gallery: "Four of Six," the fourth exhibit commemorating the 15th anniversary of the gallery, through May 16. 1054 31st St. NW; 202-944-2310.

Pass Gallery: "Passtense," 60 artists' work in a 10th-anniversary show, through May 30. 1617 South St. NW; 202-745-0796.

LAST CHANCE Phillips Collection: Paintings by Degas, Sickert and Toulouse-Lautrec, through May 14. "The Renoir Returns," through July 30. 1600 21st St. NW; 202-387-2151.

Project 4: "Small Gestures," oil and watercolor paintings by Terrie Pipa, through May 27. 903 U St. NW; 202-232-4340, project4gallery.com.

Pyramid Atlantic Art Center: "Art from the Gulf: Reflections on Katrina," features the work of dozens of Gulf Coast artists who explore the devasting impact the hurricane had on their communities and lives, through June 16. 8230 Georgia Ave., Silver Spring; 301-608-9101.

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Strathmore: Baltimore Watercolor Society's 2006 Mid-Atlantic Regional Watercolor Exhibition, with original paintings from regional artists, through May 20. Potomac Valley Watercolorist Juried Exhibition, through May 31. 10701 Rockville Pike, Bethesda; 703-845-6229.

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Torpedo Factory: "Not to Scale," exploring the relationship between size and interpretation, through May 28. 105 North Union St., Alexandria; 703-838-4565.

Touchstone Gallery: "Interiors/Exteriors," Steve Alderton has divided his paintings into confined still-lifes and expressionistic landscapes. "Artistic Reflections," the Independent Artists Forum presents works by artists of diverse nationalities, opening receptions Fri., 6 p.m., through June 4. 406 7th St. NW; 202-347-2787.

U.S. Botanic Garden: "The Birth of Coffee," photos chronicle the life cycle of coffee, through May 29. "The Wilkes Expedition: Exploring our Roots," through June 4. Crime-Solving Plants, through July 15. 100 Maryland Ave. SW; 202-225-8333.

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Washington Works on Paper: "Padre e Figli," Daniel Shay's papyrus and paper drawings and Ginevra Shay's photos, through June 3. 3420 9th St. NE; 202-526-4848.

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Stage

Alice in Wonderland: Spooky Action Theater's take on Lewis Carroll's classic is not for kids, through June 4, donation suggested. Flashpoint, 916 G St. NW; 202-248-0647, spookyaction.org.

THIS WEEKEND ONLY Bach/Beatles Project: The Washington Ballet performs just as gracefully to songs by Bach as to those of the Beatles, through May 14, $19-$105. Kennedy Center, 2700 F St. NW; 202-467-4600, kennedy-center.org.

Bal Masque: Richard Greenberg's play follows three couples in the aftermath of Truman Capote's infamous 1966 Black and White Ball, through May 21, $15-$40. Theater J, 1529 16th St. NW; 202-777-3229, dcjcc.org.

Becoming George: MetroStage's musical about writer George Sand coping with the government and a protégé, through May 28, $35-$40. 1201 North Royal St., Alexandria; 703-548-9044.

A Body of Water: A young woman visits a middle-aged couple whose home is suddenly surrounded by water, Fri. through June 4, $30-$40. Round House Theatre, 4545 East-West Highway, Bethesda; 240-644-1100, roundhousetheatre.org.

A Bright Room Called Day: Rorschach Theatre tackles the Tony Kushner play about a community of artists in Germany just before Hitler's rise, through May 21,

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TheScene

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$13.50-$19.50. Casa del Pueblo, 1459 Columbia Road NW; 202-452-5538.

La Clemenza di Tito: Washington National Opera presents his dramatic tale of a Roman woman who plots the assassination of the emperor, through May 27, $45-$290. Kennedy Center, 2700 F St. NW; 202-467-4600, kennedy-center.org.

THIS WEEKEND ONLY Cole Bros. Circus of the Stars: An oversized dog enters the big top to perform tricks you could only dream of your pooch doing, May 12 through May 14, $10-$15. Montgomery County Fairgrounds, 16 Chestnut St., Gaithersburg; 800-796-5672.

THIS WEEKEND ONLY CrossCurrents Dance Company: Helen Hayes and Debra Kanter present pieces which reflect their long collaboration, Sat. & Sun., $20. Dance Place, 3225 8th St. NE; 202-269-1600, danceplace.org.

Faust: Synetic Theater's avant-garde take on Goethe's story of a man who sells his soul for power, through May 21, $15-$35. Rosslyn Spectrum, 1611 N. Kent St., Arlington; 703-824-8060, synetictheater.org.

Frozen: A look at forgiveness and hope between a convict and a grieving mother, through May 21, $25. The Studio The-

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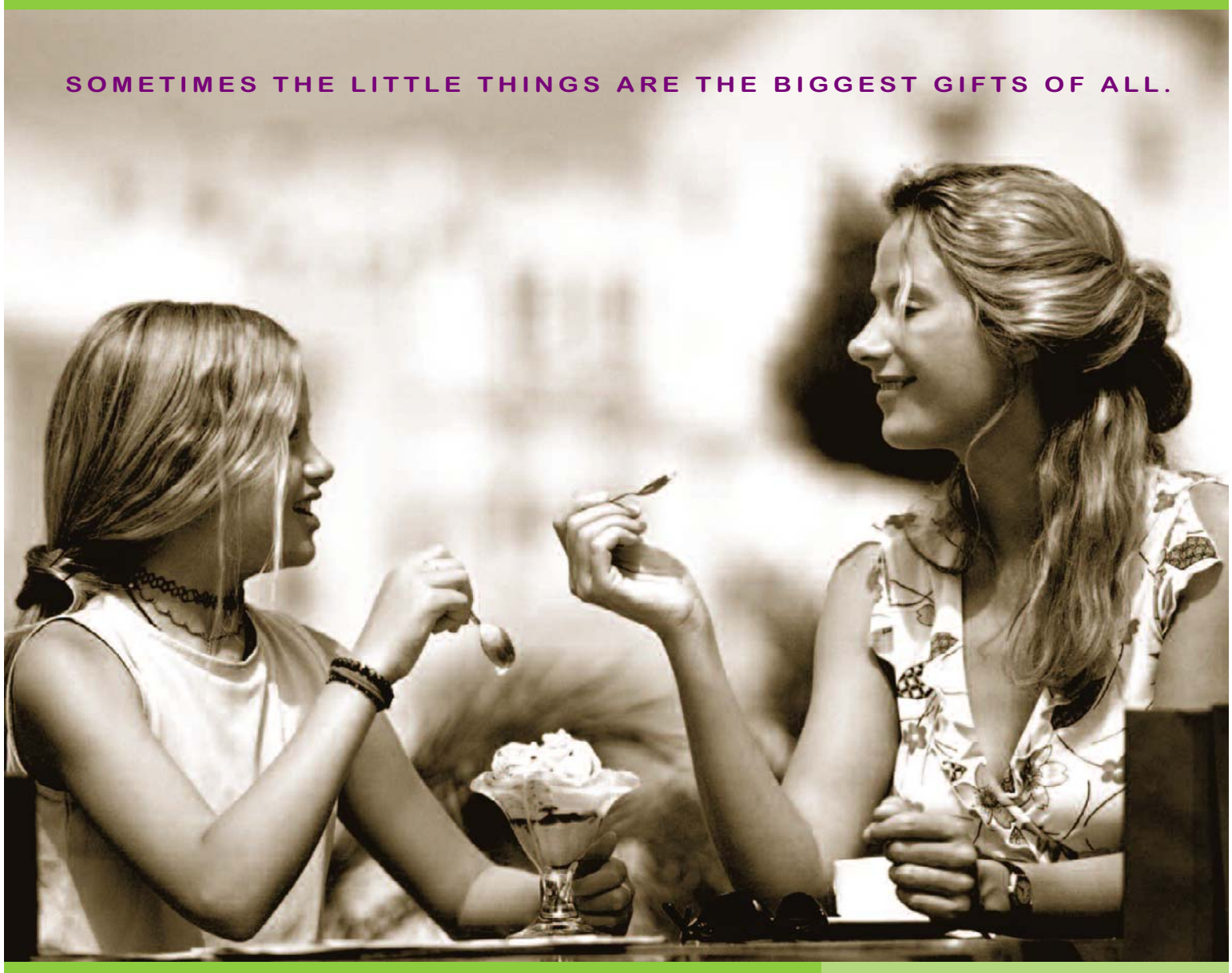

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atre, 1501 14th St. NW; 202-332-3300, studiotheatre.org.

LAST CHANCE The Game of Love and Chance: Pierre de Marviaux's play on the comic consequences of a couple trading places with their servants, through May 14, $25-$49. Folger Theatre, 201 E. Capitol St. SE; 202-544-4600, folger.edu.

The Hundred Dresses: This play follows children during the Great Depression as they find delight in comics and torment at the hands of school-yard bullies, Sun. through June 11, $15-$10. Imagination Stage, 4908 Auburn Avenue, Bethesda; 301-280-1660, imaginationstage.org.

L'Italiana in Algeri: In this humorous opera, a beautiful woman looks for her missing fiance after she is shipwrecked on the coast of Algeria, Sat. through June 3, $45-$290. Kennedy Center, 2700 F St. NW; 202-467-4600, kennedy-center.org.

Lady Day at Emerson's Bar & Grill: Set during Billie Holiday's last performance, one of jazz's most famous women sings and reflects on her life, through June 4, $50-$69. Arena Stage, 1101 6th St. SW; 202-554-9066, arenastage.org.

SUNDAY ONLY The Mother/Daughter Project: One-act plays about the relationships between first-generation immigrant mothers and their American-born daughters, $10 suggested donation. Warehouse Theatre Next Door, 1021 7th St. NW; 703-391-2929, horizonstheatre.org.

THIS WEEKEND ONLY Old Times: A married couple's quiet country lifestyle is interrupted by a visiting friend from the past, through May 14, $15. DC Arts Center, 2438 18th St. NW; 202-462-7833, dcartscenter.org.

On the Verge, or the Geography of Yearning: A comedy about three sisters who set off from 1888, finding "artifacts" of future pop culture and politics, through June 11, $49-$68. Arena Stage, 1101 6th St. SW; 202-554-9066, arenastage.org.

Los Pecados de Sor Juana: The Spanish adaptation of a play about a 17th-century Mexican nun and poet whose passion for freedom threatened the church, through May 21, $28-$32. GALA Theatre-Tivoli, 3333 14th St. NW; 202-234-7174, galatheatre.org.

The Persians: This Aeschylus tragedy depicts how Persia fell into despair after being overtaken by the Athenians, through May 21, $14.25-$71.25. Shakespeare Theater Company, 450 7th St. NW; 202-547-1122, shakespearetheatre.org.

The Play's the Thing: The Washington Stage Guild's adaptation of P.G. Wodehouse's adaptation of the Ferenc Molnar novel. Got that? Through May 21, $30-$35. Washington Stage Guild, 1901 14th St. NW; 202-582-0050, stageguild.org.

LAST CHANCE Richard II: The Washington Shakespeare Company's take on the rise and fall of an English king, through May 14, $22-$30. WSC Clark Street Playhouse, 601 S. Clark St., Arlington; washingtonshakespeare.org.

Shenandoah: Scott Bakula stars in this musical about a rural Virginia family on the cusp of the Civil War, through May 21, $25-$52. Ford's Theatre, 511 10th St. NW; 202-397-7328, fordstheatre.org.

SATURDAY ONLY Sign Language Story Time: Imagination Stage presents a sign-language version of "Cinderella," and hands-on activities for children, free. Imagination Stage, 4908 Auburn Avenue, Bethesda; 301-280-1660, imaginationstage.org.

Silent Partners: Charles Marowtiz's new play depicts the relationship between German playwright Bertold Brecht and his American translator, Eric Bentley, through May 21, $20-$30. Warehouse Theatre, 1021 7th St. NW; 703-684-7990, warehousetheater.com.

Someone Who'll Watch Over Me: This play follows men from Ireland, England and America as they cope with captivity in a Beiruit prison cell, through June 10, $10. Capitol Hills Arts Workshop, 545 7th St. SE; 202-494-3776, catalysttheater.org.

Tigers, Dragons & Other Wise 'Tails': Traditional Asian tales come to life through plays, audience interaction and puppet dances, through May 23, $6-$4. Discovery Theater, 1100 Jefferson Drive SW; 202-357-1500, discoverytheater.com.

Two Rooms: A history professor is held captive in a Beruit cell, as his wife in America struggles to feel closer to him, through May 28, $26, part of the Pangea Project. Theater Alliance, 1365 H St. NE; 202-396-0050, theateralliance.com.

LAST CHANCE The Very Hungry Caterpillar and Other Eric Carle Favourites: Mermaid Theatre's adaptation of the beloved children's books, through May 14, $15. Kennedy Center, 2700 F St. NW; 202-467-4600, kennedy-center.org.

LAST CHANCE The Winslow Boy: A British boy expelled from naval school in the early 19th century fights to exonerate himself, through May 13, $14. F. Scott Fitzgerald Theater, 603 Edmonston Drive, Rockville; 240-314-8690, rlt-online.org.

Wonders Never Cease: Charter Theatre's comedy imagines a childhood in which sea monkeys, X-ray goggles and other comic-book novelities actually work, Fri. through June 4, $20-$25. National Conservatory of Dramatic Arts, 1556 Wisconsin Ave. NW; 202-333-7009, chartertheatre.org.

THIS WEEKEND ONLY Zero Boy: The alt-comedian will act out and vocalize any scenario, Fri. & Sat., $10. DC Arts Center, 2438 18th St. NW; 202-462-7833. dcartscenter.org.

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